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## INTERIM REPORT ON CUSTOMS INQUIRY

Commission is Expected to Hold Sessions in Ontario Late in March

Winnipeg, Feb. 28.—The Customs Commission will probably conclude its sittings in Winnipeg to-morrow afternoon. The commission will leave for Ottawa Wednesday morning. If the present plans are carried out, while all three commissioners will go to Ottawa, it is unlikely there will be any public sittings there. A conference with the Minister of Customs will take place, and it is possible some kind of an interim report dealing with certain matters which have arisen during the sittings in the prairie provinces will be made. Then Chief Commissioner Brown, it is understood, will go south for a brief holiday while the material for the Ontario sittings is being prepared, and Commissioners Roy and Wright will go to their homes in Quebec and Toronto.

Ontario sittings of the commission, which are regarded as being of great importance, will probably not be opened until March 21. At the conclusion of the Ontario sittings, the commission will visit a couple of places in Quebec, probably Montreal and Quebec City. Then the Maritime Provinces will be visited, with sittings probably at Halifax, St. John and Charlottetown. Two more days, it is expected will be sufficient to finish up the work here.

## Man in Vancouver Confesses Holdup

Vancouver, Feb. 28.—Hospital authorities reported no change today in the condition of Edwin Turner, twenty-two-year-old, bandit, who lies seriously wounded in a hospital following an alleged attempt at suicide when his companion was captured and he was cornered after the holdup of the Paragon Cafe here early Saturday morning. He is alleged to have made a complete confession of his part in the holdup to doctors at the hospital Saturday afternoon, also admitting he had stolen the gun used in the holdup from a store in Seattle last Wednesday night.

## MASSEY IS TO VISIT OTTAWA NEXT WEEK

Washington, Feb. 28.—The Canadian Government will hear its first report from the newly-established Canadian Legation at Washington this week. Mrs. Massey will deliver it in person, making a flying visit to Ottawa for that purpose. It is expected Mr. Massey will meet the Canadian Cabinet Thursday, after returning to Toronto on personal business.

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Women's Canadian Club, Tuesday, March 1, Empress Hotel. Speaker, Walter McRae of Toronto. Subject, "Canadianizing Canada." Solist, Mrs. A. W. Stokes.

On Wednesday, March 2, Messrs Holroyd Fauri and Roy Robertson of Vancouver will address the music teachers and those interested in the profession with the object of forming in Victoria a branch of the B.C. Music Teachers' Federation. All teachers are especially invited to be present at Fletcher Bros. music store, Douglas Street, 8 p.m.

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Edward C. Warren, millionaire Florida landowner and inventor, searched the whole of Vancouver island for a home site before finally choosing Sooke as his resting place. There, after he had traversed every road from Victoria to Campbell River, Mr. Warren, with his family, settled down to improve an extensive acreage and to live for himself a home much after the fashion as did the pioneers of half a century or more ago. With his sons this energetic settler built his road, improved his holdings and virtually built his own house.

Since the days of the Leach River gold stampede the Sooke country has been steadily growing in fame, and its beauty and resources have gone far abroad. Apart from being one of the finest natural harbors in America, its acres carry a rich stand of timber, including valuable pulp wood holdings. In the waters of the harbor there is plenty of salmon, and the fishermen of the district make good profit of the bounty of the place.

Through the district, winding along the eastern end of the harbor, cutting westward to Milne's Landing and then following the Sooke River in a general northerly direction up island for approximately 100 miles, the Canadian National Railroad lies. This line carries the produce of the scattered farms of the district and the community workers to Victoria. From all parts of the world settlers have located at Sooke. At the Belvedere Hotel the proprietors are Finns, Czechs-Slovaks, Dutchmen, Belgians, Scotsmen, Irishmen, Englishmen, Germans, Russians and Americans. These families are making their homes, increasing the output of their land and adding to the greatness of the district through unremitting labor.



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## HUMAN LIFE CASH VALUE IS NOW TABULATED

Statisticians of Metropolitan Life Assurance Company Present Figures

A subject which always has been an interesting speculation—how much is a man worth—is given a new turn in figures just issued by the Metropolitan Life Assurance Company in conjunction with details of their business in 1926.

Each individual is worth a certain definite stated sum to himself, his family and his community, a sum which runs into thousands of dollars, even though one may not have a cent to one's name at the moment.

For many years it has been known in a vague way that human capital—that is, the lives of men, women and children—was the nation's greatest asset. But how great an asset it really was and how much it outweighed the material wealth of the country—real property, live stock,



Mr. A. F. C. FISKE  
Third Vice-President and Manager for Canada, Metropolitan Life Insurance Company.

machinery, agricultural and mining products and manufactured goods of all sorts—could only be conjectured.

Now it appears that a child at birth is worth \$9,333, considered in terms of dollars and cents. A man aged 30, earning \$50 a week, represents an economic value of \$31,000, while at age 40, earning \$100 a week, his economic worth is \$45,670. Statistics have been gathered in relation to men workers. It is conservatively estimated that future earning capacity of women would be half that of men.

To rear a child from birth to age 18 costs \$7,200, whether a boy or a girl. These are average figures, based on expenses in a family of five, father, mother and three children, with an income of \$2,500. Being born costs \$250. Food is put down at \$2,500, clothing and shelter, \$3,400, education \$50, health, \$284, recreation, \$130, insurance, \$54, and sundries, \$270. The item of education does not appear to be adequately covered, but, as a matter of fact it is, because "shelter" includes taxes, which cover the parents' share of the community cost of education.

Figures on Canadian business of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company during 1926 show that the company issues more insurance, has more policyholders and more insurance in force in Canada than any other company. Business written in Canada in 1926 was \$167,862,123, while there were 2,349,904 policyholders. Insurance in force totalled \$704,911,355 in Canada. Payments to Canadian policyholders in 1926 amounted to \$10,079,007.

It is interesting to note that the Metropolitan Life has a total investment in Canada of \$137,770,136, of which Dominion Government Bonds comprise \$48,297,078, Provincial and Municipal Bonds \$40,956,960, and all other investments \$48,516,089.

## WARSHIPS OFF WEST COAST OF NICARAGUA

British Cruiser Colombo at Corinto; U.S. Troops and Planes Aboard Vessels

Managua, Nicaragua, Feb. 28.—The arrival of the United States warship Altair at Corinto yesterday with planes and equipment and approximately three score additional men brought the United States landing force on the west coast of Nicaragua to 1,800. There are six De Havilland planes and four two-seater scouting planes.

The assembling of the planes was begun today, and they will soon be ready to fly over the country to Managua. They will be used for maintaining communications and observation purposes.

With the arrival of the transport Henderson, scheduled to reach Corinto in a week, the total probably will be swelled to 3,000.

A dispatch from Corinto, Nicaragua, yesterday said: "The British cruiser Colombo arrived here yesterday. She saluted the United States cruiser Milwaukee, Rear-Admiral Latimer's flagship."

The British charge, Harold Patterson, who came here from Managua, immediately went aboard the Colombo for a conference with Capt. A. M. Lecky.

The Colombo, sent to Nicaragua waters for the purpose of serving as "a place of refuge" for British nationals endangered by the disturbed conditions in Nicaragua, is the first British vessel to visit these waters since 1919.

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## Old Mines Revived Near Port Arthur

Port Arthur, Ont., Feb. 28.—Considerable activity is reported from the old-time lead and zinc properties in the township of Dorion, thirty-five miles east of here. Old mines are being put into shape, machinery is being sent into the district and mine buildings are being prepared preparatory to the commencement of the production of minerals, which today command a good price.

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### Four Children Were Burned to Death

Quebec, Feb. 28.—The four children of Vital Roy, ranging in age from seven months to ten years, perished in a blaze which swept their home at Thetford Mines Sunday morning, according to word received here. The victims were Lucille, ten; Paul, four; Henriette, three; and a baby of seven months.

The fire broke out following the explosion of gasoline which Vital Roy was using in an effort to light the kitchen stove.

### MANSLAUGHTER CONVICTION

Los Angeles, Feb. 28.—Carol B. Croseman, aviator, whose plane killed two children in making a forced landing on a beach at Venice last Summer, was convicted on two counts of manslaughter by a jury here Saturday.

## MR. GUTHRIE URGES GREATER CANADIAN MILITARY ACTIVITIES

Ottawa, Feb. 28.—That Canada at the present time was not nearly doing her part to help carry the burden of Empire defence and that the Dominion's active force at the moment was not actually sufficient to repel an invasion, were among the contentions of Hon. Hugh Guthrie, leader of the Conservative Party in the House of Commons, speaking at the ninth annual dinner of the Princess Patricia's Club in Ottawa Armories Saturday night.

Mr. Guthrie traced the growth of military status in Canada from the time of Wolfe and then plunged into the subject of Empire defence. His own view was that Canada should be self-governing, but with certain restrictions.

"I believe we should leave world politics to the Motherland. I believe Great Britain is more powerful today in international affairs than any other nation and has a more powerful voice than has ever been before," he said.

Great Britain, when such international questions or complications arise.

"I believe, too, that Canada should not be content merely to bask in the sun when such problems are considered and when the privilege of empire are enjoyed unless she is prepared to assume her proper share of the burden of Empire defence. We in Canada are doing little or nothing to ease that burden. Australia is doing far more; so is little New Zealand, and the time has come when this question must be definitely faced in this country, apart from political considerations."

Mr. Guthrie praised the enthusiasm of military officers since the World War, without which, he said, the militia units would have disappeared. He rejoiced that Col. Ralston, a tried and true soldier, had been made Defence Minister. That was the most hopeful sign in Canada to-day, at least from a military standpoint, for at the moment Canada had not enough men to defend her own shores, let alone send any to the aid of Motherland, he said. Canada had not enough men to repel an invasion should such an hour of trial ever come.

Mr. Guthrie referred to the League of Nations, saying he hoped it would achieve its objectives, but there must always be preparedness. He also told of the continued interest of the Duke of Connaught in the regiment of the name of his daughter and concluded with a plea that succeeding generations of Canadians do their part in the solution of the great Empire problems which awaited them.

## POLICE CAPTURE SIXTY IN GAMING HOUSE RAIDS

Chinese and White Men Caught in Gambling Houses by Night Police Squads; Many Fined in Morning Court To-day and Others Remanded for Hearing

Police officers arrested sixty men on Saturday night and early Sunday morning when raiding squads made the rounds of suspected gambling joints in the city and enmeshed their occupants in the drag-net of the law.

The majority of the prisoners taken were Chinese, but in one alleged gaming house, where Chief of Police John Fry and Sgt. James Florence found a card game in progress, there were fifteen white men. All these were taken into custody by police officers, and only one of them was not participating in the game as far as evidence showed.

E. Fitzgerald, pleading guilty to the charge of being found in a common gaming house, irrespective of the pleas of the others, was fined \$10 by Magistrate Jay to-day. William Strath appeared in his behalf. This was the only one of the fifteen dealt with.

The other fourteen, found in a set of rooms on the second story of a premises located at 1305 Government Street, were each paid in cash for the value of the chips they had in front of them when the police entered the premises, according to the Chief of Police, who testified when Fitzgerald was called.

### OTHERS REMANDED

W. Smith was charged as keeper of the place. It was he who paid the players their cash for the chips they held. The men who sat in the game, and who later stood in the charge office at police headquarters, were: D. Christoff, P. Lanchick, P. Pasqual, Joe Burns, W. Smith (keeper), G. West, G. Hillman, D. Peltreter, W. Olson, H. Tottgall, R. Stephenson, J. Young, J. Cook and G. Temple.

### LOTTERY SHOP RAIDED

In a premises located behind the Empire Cafe, 546 Johnson Street, two other white men were taken. They were Joe Roberts and T. Fliby. The place in which they were found was fitted out as a lottery house. Sgt. Thomas Heatley, who was in charge of the raiding squad, testified to-day. There was one Chinaman there named Song. Each of the three pleaded guilty and was fined \$10, with an option of serving ten days.

### NET CLOSES

At 12:30 o'clock Sunday morning, Chief of Police Fry entered premises at 557-561 Flagard Street, where forty-two Chinamen were huddled in to an upstairs room. Thirty-five of them had been in the room below the one in which they were found, Stuart Henderson, counsel for the defendants, declared, and the seven others had been in the upper apartments, having nothing to do with the games in progress below.

Mr. Henderson entered pleas of not guilty for the seven, and C. L. Harrison, city prosecutor, promised to investigate the merit of their case, which, if it be found to have foundation, will be dropped.

The thirty-five men who pleaded guilty through Mr. Henderson were each fined \$10, which money was taken from their bail of \$25 per man, placed in the security of the police station, yesterday. These thirty-five were as follows:

Young, Lee, Lung, Chin, Quin, Chin Gin, Lee, Kai Toon, Lee Lock, Sing, Lee How, Chin Hin, Chung, Sing, Ah Gow, Bang, Sin, Ah Joe, Lee Hoy, Chin How, Kay, Lee, Chin Quin, Yock, Long, Lee Chee, Sam, Lee Hing, Gee, Lum, Sing, Sam Nob, Bick, Lee Gow, Lee Sing, Gim, Soon, Don, Jay and Long.

The seven pleading not guilty were Lee, Chung, Gim, Kay, Lou, Lock and Ah Yow.

## GYROS ENJOY MUSIC AT WEEKLY LUNCHEON

Clubmen Dispense With Speaker and Provide Own Amusement

Members of the Gyro Club enjoyed a musical luncheon to-day at the Chamber of Commerce.

Gyro "Bill" Hudson, song-leader, directed the community singing in musical channels while Gyro Charlie Hunt and his band of syncopators stirred the feet of those in attendance with his tantalizing airs.

Miss Muir and Gyro Arnold Trevitt were the soloists. Their numbers were rendered in splendid voice and the Gyros loudly applauded.

To-night the Gyros will hold their weekly bridge night at the clubrooms and next week a cribbage tournament will start.

On Wednesday of this week a two-ball competition will be played at the club at the Uplands Golf Club.

Charlie Chanson was elected to membership in the club to-day.

### OBITUARY

Martha June Fairweather, aged six years, only child of Mr. and Mrs. David Fairweather, of 915 Richmond Avenue, passed away yesterday at the Jubilee Hospital. The little girl was born in Winnipeg. The funeral will be held from the B.C. Funeral Chapel on Tuesday at 2 o'clock. Interment will be made at Royal Oak Burial Park.

Frank Cook, a resident of this city for the last fifteen years, passed away yesterday at the Jubilee Hospital, aged sixty-eight years. The funeral will be held from the B.C. Funeral Chapel on Wednesday at 2 o'clock.

There passed away in Victoria on Sunday at the Royal Jubilee Hospital Stanley Alfred Ericson of Calgary, Alberta. He was born in Calgary and came with his mother and sister to Victoria two weeks ago. He is mourned by his father and mother, one brother and two sisters in Calgary, and a sister in training in Vancouver General Hospital. The remains are resting at McCall Brothers' Funeral Home awaiting the arrival of Mr. Ericson from Calgary, where he has been secretary of the Golf and Country Club for the past sixteen years and is one of the old-timers of that district.

The death occurred Saturday at St. Joseph's Hospital of Robert Kamal of Craigflower Road, Esquimalt. Mr. Kamal was thirty-four years of age and born in Victoria. He leaves his father, also two sisters, Mrs. W. G. Scott and Miss Elsie Kamal, and two brothers, Hamlet and Harry Kamal. The remains are resting at his father's residence on Craigflower Road from where the funeral will take place on Tuesday morning at 8:45, proceeding to the Little Catholic Church on the reserve when service will be conducted by Rev. Father

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Wood at 9 o'clock. Interment will be made in the Songhees Reserve.

There passed away at a very early hour this morning at the family residence, 1328 Clover Street, James Leonard Stamford, aged seventy-seven years, a native of Royston, Hertfordshire, England, and a resident of this city for the last twenty-two years. He leaves to mourn his loss his widow, Mrs. Jessie Stamford, two sons, John Fraser Stamford, attendant at Esquimalt; William Leonard Stamford, of the Marine Department of Digby Island, also two daughters, Miss Mary Elizabeth Stamford, at home, and Mrs. F. H. Moore at Colony Farm, Esquimalt. The remains are resting at the Thomson Funeral Home, 1625 Quadra Street, from where the funeral will take place on Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, after which the remains will be laid to rest in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

### TO PAY INDEMNITY TO MEMBER'S WIDOW

The annual sessional indemnity which would have been paid to the late A. O. Cochrane, Conservative member for North Okanagan, had he lived will be paid to his widow as a result of action taken by the Government. A resolution moved by the Government in the House provides for this payment to Mrs. Cochrane. Arrangements are being made to pay the annual indemnity to Hon. William Sloan, Minister of Mines, who was absent from the House for some weeks owing to ill health.

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The firm of Thomas & Harries is one of the oldest business establishments in Ladysmith, the late Mr. Thomas commencing business in 1891, twenty-six years ago. It is understood that Mr. Stewart will sell the entire stock through his Douglas Street store.

## It's the Talk of the Town

The sensational prices shown in the windows already have caused hundreds to wonder. The windows are thronged all day with astonished people wondering how shoes can be offered at such a tremendous cut in price. The Thomas & Harries stock consisted of some of the world's best shoes—carefully selected. Every pair carries our full guarantee.

# of the Thomas & Harries' Shoe Stock Starts To-morrow, TUESDAY, 10 A.M.

For the last few days the staff has been busy re-sorting and re-pricing this wonderful stock of Shoes. Every pair bears an entirely new price. Here are some "Chums," sold by Thomas & Harries at \$6.75. Now they're \$2.00. Another example: Here are the Men's "Keen" Shoes, stamped \$4.50 and \$5.00 on the soles, offered at \$1.50. Children's Shoes 25c, 65c, \$1.00 and \$1.50; Boys' Shoes \$1.50 and \$1.95, regularly sold for \$3.50 and \$4.00.

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### Men's

Mens' Rubbers 39c, how's that; heres' some Men's \$6 double-sole Work Boots for \$3.00; good sizes in Mens' Dress Boots at \$1.50 per pair; some fine Welts Boots for smart wear at \$2.50; Men's Fine Evening Pumps, \$6.50 was the price, now, \$1.50. These are just a few samples of the savings.

### Ladies'

A fine line of \$7.50 Grey Suede Oxfords go on sale at \$1.50; a good assortment of \$6 Patent Box Shoes at \$2.00; Women's Boudoir Slippers at 50c; Women's and Growing Girls' Brogues, \$3.00, were sold at \$5.50; Chums Shoes (you know these) at \$2.00; New Alligator Pumps and Oxfords, value \$6.60, for \$3.00, and a hundred others.

### Boys'

Here's a snap in Boys' Strong Dressy Boots, the "Hydro" with double toe-caps, solid leather soles, full rubber heels, in all sizes 11-5. These are real \$3.50 boots, now, \$1.95, only thirty pairs, hurry! Then there's a lot of little boots for boys, 5-10½ at \$1.00, made by Abrams, all solid; then a big lot of broken sizes in good wearing boots, sizes 11-3½ and 4, value to \$4.50, all at one price, \$1.50.

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## THE ACTUAL FACTS

**"FOREIGNERS ARE SECURING CONTROL OF OUR TIMBER AREAS AND UNMANUFACTURED LOGS ARE BEING SENT ABROAD IN CONSIDERABLE VOLUME TO KEEP MILLS GOING ON THE AMERICAN SIDE."**

The morning paper makes this statement in its discussion of the resolution which Mr. Reginald Hayward has introduced in the Legislature urging a curtailment in the export of these raw materials. It also notes that the Victoria member has warned the public "that British Columbians are forced to follow the raw logs in order to secure employment."

There seems to be an utter disinclination on the part of Mr. Hayward and the morning paper to study the facts of the case and the figures which explain it. It has been pointed out several times that out of the 3,000,000,000 feet of timber cut last year only seven per cent. of it left the Province in the shape of raw logs. Of this small total 55,000,000 feet only went to the United States and the balance, amounting to 170,000,000 feet, went to Japan. It also should be repeated that only about 50,000,000 feet of the exported material were cut from licensed areas over which the Government has any control.

The morning paper says that no motion before the Legislature has aroused more interest in other parts of the country than this one which stands in Mr. Hayward's name. It would add a great deal of interest to the controversy if either Mr. Hayward or The Colonist would inform the public how many British Columbians followed the 170,000,000 feet of logs to Japan in order to secure employment. Does either really believe that even half-a-dozen British Columbians followed the 55,000,000 feet which went to the United States?

Incidentally, the thing which is arousing interest in Canada, and particularly in this part of it, is the enormous amount of new capital that continues to flow into the Dominion for employment in the erection of great plants to turn out the finished article in the shape of paper. This gratifying condition is best reflected in the fact that our output of pulp and paper now is the largest of any country in the world.

## IGNORE IT

**THERE WILL BE NO REPLY FROM GREAT BRITAIN TO THE ANSWER WHICH SOVIET RUSSIA HAS GIVEN TO THE PROPAGANDA NOTE RECENTLY SENT TO MOSCOW BY SIR AUSTEN CHAMBERLAIN.**

That will be just as well. If the Soviet trade commissioners in London run foul of the laws of Britain in any particular, they can be dealt with just like an ordinary British citizen is dealt with. They have no diplomatic immunity whatever.

Sir Austen Chamberlain obviously did not relish sending his warning in the first place. He put it off as long as he could; but the extremists in the Cabinet finally won their point. The British people now are being reminded by Moscow that many of the public utterances of such men as Mr. Churchill and Lord Birkenhead, many articles and cartoons in the British press, have been just as annoying to the Government of Russia as the anti-British propaganda of which Britain has complained. This is not to say that the Soviet authorities have any justification for breaking the terms of the trade agreement into which they entered with the British Government. At the same time, and no doubt Sir Austen Chamberlain anticipated something of the sort, it will have to be admitted that the reminder is by no means out of order.

Much has been said about Soviet propaganda. Many have been alarmed without any cause. But the point that must strike most people is the fear that the men who are governing Russia as Russia apparently wants to be governed are capable of destroying the British Empire by words. In fact the wailing which some have done could hardly be considered a tribute to British influence throughout the world. Nor should it be forgotten that some of the piffle which goes by the name of propaganda is too transparent to take in even the dullest native mind.

It is not a bit of use telling Russia that her government is all wrong. It is no use trying to run her newspapers from London. It simply can not be done. There certainly is nothing dignified in the present interchange of notes. Outside remonstrances merely bolster up Bolshevism in Russia. If it is ignored long enough it will hang itself.

## MR. GUTHRIE UNEASY AGAIN

**HON. HUGH GUTHRIE IS NOT SATISFIED WITH CANADA'S NAVAL AND MILITARY ESTABLISHMENTS.** He told the Princess Pats' Club in Ottawa on Saturday night that this country's active force at the moment is actually not sufficient to repel an invasion—"should such an hour of trial ever come."

Just what Mr. Guthrie would do to restore his own peace of mind is not apparent from the brief account of his speech which has reached this newspaper.

He gives us no inkling as to the direction from which he considers an invasion might come. We can not accuse him of supposing that under any circumstances in the future our powerful neighbor to the South will have sinister designs upon us. Would he therefore ask Parliament to appropriate a few hundred millions of dollars for the purpose of creating a military and naval establishment capable of repelling any sort of invasion to which the Dominion might be subject at some indefinite date?

In view of the militant spirit which Mr. Guthrie is now displaying, more especially in his reference to China recently, it would be interesting to learn what his attitude is towards the policy of Empire defence which Mr. Meighen laid down at Hamilton as one of the most important planks in the Conservative Party's platform. The present Leader of the Opposition in the House of Commons succeeded his former chief and obviously inherited his platform in its entirety. This supposition is strengthened by Mr. Guthrie's own declaration recently that the retirement of Mr. Meighen from public life last year was a national calamity. Will he therefore urge the Government to bring on a general election in order to find out if the taxpayers of the Dominion would sanction the dispatch of Canadian troops to Shanghai?

The only invasion which Canada might suffer is an invasion from the Orient. The likelihood of that, of course, is very remote. It can be made still more remote by this country if she preserves her peace with all Pacific countries and continues to point to the fortress and gunless border which separates her from her neighbor to the South as an example for the rest of the world.

## NOT AS SAFE AS IT SEEMS

**IT IS A FACT THAT PREMIER BALDWIN HAS A VERY SUBSTANTIAL MAJORITY IN THE BRITISH HOUSE OF COMMONS.** He can count on practically 200 of a majority with a full House dividing upon a straight Conservative policy.

In spite of this fairly comfortable position, however, it can be safely said that Mr. Baldwin is less pleased about the situation than he is concerned about the invasion which Labor is making of various constituencies. Nor is he blind to the fact that the internal strife which still disturbs the headquarters of Liberalism is not apparent in the rest of the country, where this call has gone forth to Liberals: "If that is what you are, and you are willing to work with us, come along."

This was the keynote of the great gathering of the Midland Liberal Federation which Mr. Lloyd George addressed in Birmingham recently. It also is to be remembered that never in the history of British Liberalism have small individual contributions poured into the campaign chest in such large numbers as at present.

Neither Liberals nor Laborites may be called upon to form the next Government; but Mr. Baldwin knows what is taking place in the country when he notes the fact that Labor has captured six seats since the 1924 general election—the last one in his own county of Worcestershire.

## WHAT OTHER PAPERS SAY

WHAT COMES NEXT  
 From The Boston Transcript

Time was when the popular tale of the lost opportunity was that of the man who had a chance to get into the telephone business when the telephone was in its infancy. Now it is the story of the fellow who might have gone into business with Henry Ford.

SAME HERE  
 From The Winnipeg Tribune

On the time-honored point that the speech from the Throne is remarkable for what it does not contain it is quite possible for members of the Legislature to continue the debate for a couple of weeks. But actually its terms are such as to render criticism unnecessary. If the legislative bill of fare is foretaste is meagre, that is rather an advantage than otherwise. Manitoba is not seriously in need of a big list of new laws.

## Queer Quirks of Nature

By ARTHUR N. PACK

Wouldn't it be great when one went swimming to be able to shut up one's nose and ears as the hippopotamus does when under water?

The hippopotamus is, with the exception of the elephant, the largest existing land mammal. It reaches a length of fourteen feet, a height of five feet or more, and weighs up to four tons. It cannot be said to be a thin-skinned or sensitive creature, for the hide on its sides and back is one and a half inches thick. Although it is popularly called "water horse" it is really related to the pig family. Another queer animal is that when excited or in pain its body is covered with a red sweat which has given rise to the erroneous belief that it sweats drops of blood. Equatorial Africa is the only region now inhabited by the hippopotamus, although formerly it was plentiful in Egypt and is thought at one time to have flourished in the Valley of the Jordan.

The baby hippopotamus shown in the accompanying picture is one of the most popular residents of the National Zoo.

## A THOUGHT

Render therefore to all their dues.—Romans viii, 7. True glory takes root and even spreads; all false pretenses, like flowers, fall to the ground; nor can any counterfeit last long.—Cicero.

## Do You Mean What You Say?

"GOING SNACKS"



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A noted body searcher became famous during the London plague. His name was Snacks and his business was so profitable and so enormous that he invited others to join him, offering them a share of the profits. Those who did accept his offer were said to go with Snacks. Since that day "going Snacks" has meant "dividing the spoils." To-day, "to take a snack" is to take part of a meal, or just a bite.

## Canadian Questions and Answers

CANADA'S EMIGRATION ARRIVALS

Q.—What were Canada's emigration arrivals in 1926?

A.—The emigration arrivals in Canada during 1926 totaled 40 per cent more than in 1925. The total arrivals for the quarter of a century since 1896, exceeds 4,000,000 including over 1,500,000 of British and nearly 1,500,000 of Americans, with slightly over 1,000,000 from foreign countries. There is every indication of a greatly increased migration during 1927. In view of the very low fare of \$2.50 arranged by the Imperial Government, the prospects are, therefore, excellent for a marked flow into Canada during the coming season.

The WEATHER  
 Daily Bulletin Published by the Victoria Meteorological Department

Victoria, Feb. 28.—5 a.m.—The barometer is falling on the Northern Coast and unrelieved weather is becoming general over this Province. Zero temperatures are reported in Saskatchewan and Manitoba.

Reports

Victoria—Barometer, 30.10; temperature, maximum yesterday, 49; minimum, 38; wind, 6 miles E.; rain, trace; weather, cloudy.

Vancouver—Barometer, 30.08; temperature, maximum yesterday, 49; minimum, 38; wind, 4 miles E.; weather, cloudy.

Kamloops—Barometer, 30.14; temperature, maximum yesterday, 48; minimum, 28; wind, 4 miles E.; weather, clear.

Barkerville—Barometer, 30.04; temperature, maximum yesterday, 32; minimum, 19; wind, calm; weather, cloudy.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 29.74; temperature, maximum yesterday, 46; minimum, 45; wind, 4 miles S.E.; rain, 24; weather, raining.

Estevan Point—Barometer, 29.92; temperature, maximum yesterday, 48; minimum, 42; wind, 14 miles S.E.; rain, 65; weather, raining.

Tatoush—Barometer, 30.04; temperature, maximum yesterday, 44; minimum, 42; wind, 14 miles E.; rain, 12; weather, raining.

Portland, Ore.—Barometer, 30.16; temperature, maximum yesterday, 32; minimum, 40; wind, 4 miles S.; weather, cloudy.

Seattle—Barometer, 30.14; temperature, maximum yesterday, 48; minimum, 40; wind, 4 miles S.; weather, cloudy.

San Francisco—Barometer, 30.14; temperature, maximum yesterday, 32; minimum, 40; wind, 4 miles S.E.; weather, clear.

Current—Temperature, maximum yesterday, 44; minimum, 4; snow, trace.

Regina—Temperature, maximum yesterday, 13; minimum, 5 below; snow, 5.

Temperature

	Max.	Min.
Victoria	49	38
Vancouver	49	38
Penticton	47	37
Nelson	47	37
Calgary	18	2
Edmonton	14	4
Qu'Appelle	14	4
Winnipeg	18	2
Moose Jaw	18	2
Toronto	34	2
Ottawa	22	2
Montreal	28	2
St. John	22	2
Halifax	32	2

## Other People's Views

Letters addressed to the Editor and intended for publication must be short and legible. The Editor reserves the right to shorten the chance of insertion. All communications must bear the name and address of the writer, but not for publication unless the owner wishes. The publication or rejection of articles is a matter entirely in the discretion of the Editor. No responsibility is assumed by the paper for MSS. submitted to the Editor.

## IMPERTINENCE

To the Editor:—In your issue of Saturday last there appears a letter over the signature of "Tuesday Nighter" protesting against the interference of some person objecting to the management of the Playhouse making presents of prizes on Tuesday nights. Please allow me to take sides with "Tuesday Nighter" in his protest against such an unwarrantable action. What possible harm is there in the distribution of a few prizes if the management wishes to do so? The time has come when a halt should be called to this continued interference with our personal liberties and pleasure by persons with narrow visions who are constantly seeking to deprive the rest of the people from enjoying themselves as they wish. If the person who has objected to this form of amusement is not in sympathy with it there is no need for him to attend the Playhouse, but because he objects to it is no reason why others should also share his views. It would be interesting to learn why the giving of prizes at the Playhouse is to be discontinued.

D. G. HUGHES.  
 891 Esquimalt Road, Esquimalt, B.C., February 28, 1927.

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## Don't be Apathetic Toward Measles!

By DR. MORRIS FISHBURN

It is a common superstition among the uninformed that a child must have measles sooner or later and that therefore it is unnecessary to take steps to avoid this disease. This attitude must be characterized as nothing short of homicidal. In 1920, 10,000 children died in the United States from measles and at least as many died from bronchial pneumonia following measles, or later from tuberculosis.

Other thousands recovered from the disease, but with such complications as weak eyes and running ears.

Measles is not most contagious at the time when the patient is peeling off a fine granular scaling of the skin after the disease.

The time when the disease is most easily spread is at the period when the person is just beginning to "come down" with it. Since a bad cough or cold may be one of the first symptoms of measles, a child with a bad cough should not be allowed to come in contact with other children.

Most epidemics of measles occur during the cold months, probably because people are crowded together under conditions that do not exist in the warmer months. Windows are kept closed and the air is not changed.

In 1914, a man with measles landed on the Faros Islands, a place in which the disease had not previously occurred. On the islands at that time there were 7,752 people and 6,000 of them developed the disease.

The condition is not likely to spread to this extent among persons in this country, since many of them have a natural resistance to the disease which comes to them with the blood of their parents and with the blood of the mother. However, so many do not have resistance that it is well to give them every protection possible.

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## Paulino's Hopes Suffer a Setback

New York, Feb. 28.—Paulino's hopes of clouting a path to the final round of Tex Rickard's heavyweight elimination tournament received a temporary setback yesterday when the Madison Square Garden promoter failed to complete a match between the wood-chopping Basque and Jim Maloney of Boston. The conqueror of Jack Delange declined an offer to fight the European champion.

Contending that he already had fought his way to the title fight, Maloney demanded a match either with Jack Dempsey or the winner of next Friday's melee between Mike McGigue and Jack Sharkey.

In spite of his conquest of Knute Hansen, Paulino thus saw small chance today of scaling the heights reached by Luis Firpo of Argentina. Rickard announced, however, that he looked upon the Spaniard as a dangerous foe for any of the current crop of heavyweights. He said he would match the Basque with Tom Heeney, Australian candidate, who defeated Charley Anderson, Chicago negro, in nine rounds Friday night.

Ski riding at ninety miles an hour, the skiers being drawn by motorcycles, is popular at some Canadian resorts.

A champion sneak thief in Germany recently demonstrated his claim to the title by sneaking into prison two hours after his release and stealing his picture from the rogue's gallery.

**Why is it that hostesses everywhere serve**

**LIFE SAVERS**

## CHINA, A VAST RICH TRADE OPPORTUNITY

By W. H. PORTERFIELD

SHANGHAI, Feb. 28.—This is the city, and incomparably the richest, in all China. Its harbor has a total population of more than 1,500,000 human beings.

Shanghai is also the most modern city and it is wholly the creation of foreign influence, mostly British. Less than a century ago, when British sea captains first forced the frightened Chinese to give them landing space and privileges of trade, it was a poor, straggling, wretched village of brown mud huts, which it might be to-day if the despised foreigner had never come.

The powers, chiefly Britain, have taken millions of dollars and pounds sterling of francs and German marks and Russian rubles out of China, but also have invested millions right where they got them. For China is rich, unbelievably so, despite wars, revolutions, floods, famines and dirt.

**VAST FIELD OF TRADE**

Her foreign trade last year, by cottons and all, was valued at \$2,000,000,000! Here you have the raison d'être for the presence of the foreigner in the Orient.

Underneath all the outward layers of alleged altruism, desire for territory and love of adventure, is the quest for gold. Underneath all the ostensibly noble, religious, social and altruistic is the economic factor, greater than any one of the others, greater than all of them put together.

Great Britain, or the British empire, has investments in the Far East to-day aggregating two billion dollars, gold.

American business interests are not so great perhaps, but American missionary societies and the Catholic Church, the latter with its more than two million adherents throughout China, have vast holdings in the country.

Even to-day the palatial Rockefeller hospital at Peking, one of the finest institutions of its kind in the whole world, is not patronized to any considerable extent by Chinese. Like many citizens of our own country, the Chinese still sticks to his herb doctors and witch men.

Suppose your property were to be destroyed in China—to whom would you go for redress? To the government? There is none. To Chang-tso-lin of Manchuria, war lord of the northern provinces? He would smile and express his regret and nothing more.

Trans-Pacific trade last year with China aggregated \$450,000,000. It is a fundamental principle of trade that both buyer and seller must profit if trade is to continue.

Businessmen here, that, in their case at least, this principle has been generally maintained and that the Chinese people have been tremendously benefited by their contact with western mechanical arts and sciences introduced by salesmen.

To move out of the country as the Nationalist wishes us to do would destroy this trade at once. It might be rebuilt in time, certainly there would be an interim of anarchy.

The wage scale is rising all over China; hours of labor are being gradually shortened. Chinese children, some of them, are going to school and learning western methods and absorbing western ideals.

Let the status quo continue for another generation or so and there will be a new China—at least what the superficial thinker will regard as a new China, but which will be

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(Adv.)

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Jack Meldrum judged the sporting dogs while Alex McCloy awarded the ribbons in the other classes. A large crowd witnessed the judging.

The results were:  
**Pomeranians**  
Black, open dogs—1, Mrs. Cleasby's Buzz.  
Orange and sable, puppy dogs—1, Mrs. Tooby's Sandy Mocco; 2, Mrs. Foster's Bandy.  
Puppy bitches—1, Mrs. Scourrah's Trolsky.  
Open dogs—1, Saucy Moco.  
Open bitches—1, Mrs. M. Scott's Molly.

**Pekinese**  
Puppy dogs—1, Benra Waring's Chin Chou.  
Puppy bitches—1, R. C. J. Were's Olinda Wee Wong.  
Open dogs—1, Mrs. R. Baker's Ko Ko Foo.  
Open bitches—1, E. Russell's Chi Chi of Shantung.

**Wire-haired Fox Terriers**  
Puppy dogs—1, Robert Ashby's Gyp.  
Open bitches—1, Mrs. F. R. Crane's Floss; 2, Jack Ashby's Toodles.  
Spitz  
Open dogs—1, R. Hatcher's Mickey.

**Smooth-haired Fox Terriers**  
Puppy bitches—1, Mrs. K. Harrison's Bunt; 2, C. Lowe's Nipper.  
Open bitches—Mrs. Curtis's Hills Lady Mischief.

**Wire-haired Fox Terriers**  
Puppy dogs—1, Ernest Simmons's Gyp.  
Puppy bitches—1, Jack Mairn's Tynedale Miss Crachem; 2, Mrs. J. K. Angus's Swaggy Spot; 3, Mrs. P. Plimley's Nettle of Wem.  
Open dogs—1, J. L. Jeffrey's Mirestone Topall; 2, E. J. Mann's Mirestone Lad of Mine.  
Open bitches—1, Mrs. Cottole's Judy.

**Scottish Terriers**  
Puppy dogs—1, L. Harris's Tinker; 2, W. Billington's Bouncer; 3, R. Macdonald's Robbie McNab.  
Puppy bitches—1, Mrs. J. Burns's McGregor's Charm; 2, J. H. Deives's Jenny.  
Open dogs—1, Mrs. J. Burns's Wee McGregor; 2, R. Macdonald's Robbie McNab.  
Open bitches—1, McGregor's Charm.

**Sealyhams**  
Open dogs—1, Mrs. C. M. Caste's Dandy Lad.  
Open bitches—1, Mrs. C. M. Caste's Dandy Lass.

**Airedales**  
Puppy dogs—1, Wilkinson's Killarney Barney.  
Puppy bitches—1, Wilkinson's Killarney Gipsy.  
Open dogs—Wilkinson's Killarney Gipsy; 2, Noyle Jones's Bayview East.

**Boston Bulldogs**  
Puppy bitches—1, Miss H. Hogan's Son and Heir; 2, Miss H. Hogan's Esteban.  
Puppy bitches—1, Miss H. Hogan's Perky; 2, Miss H. Hogan's Audrey.  
Open dogs—1, Tom Lore's Jimmie; 2, Hazel Clyde's Bunt.

**Bulldogs**  
Open dogs—1, Mrs. Edmonds's Prince George of London.  
Open dogs—1, Harvey's Laddie.

**Alsatians**  
Puppy bitches—1, Mrs. Malcolm's Peggie.  
Open dogs—1, D. Smith's Fritz.

**Russian Wolfhounds**  
Open dogs—1, J. Nuttall's Czar.  
Open bitches—1, J. Nuttall's Ione.

**Cocker Spaniels**  
Puppy bitches—1, H. Mackenzie's Bankaby Daisy.  
Open dogs—1, Mrs. E. Thomas's Tommy.

**Springer Spaniels**  
Puppy dogs—1, Mrs. Williams's Freckles.  
Open bitches—1, Steer's Gwen.

**English Setters**  
Puppy dogs—1, H. Mackenzie's Blondine's Masterpiece; 2, Noble's Monsoon.  
Puppy bitches—1, E. P. Johnston's Keatings Queen; 2, Woolston's Pretty Mickie.

**Open dogs—1, Wright's Deckham Laddie.**  
Open bitches—1, Mrs. Eastham's Belle of Eastham; 2, H. Mackenzie's Pretty Polly.

**Pointers**  
Open dogs—1, C. E. Goodwin's Victoria Flash; 2, Tom Plimley's Pinehill Blondy; 3, Miss R. Chapman's Mickey O'Shay.  
Open bitches—1, Paul Henry's Raps Daisy.

**Grayhounds**  
Open dogs—1, Glenn Smith's Rob Roy.  
Special awards were as follows:  
Best Toy puppy—Mrs. Tooby's Sandy Mocco.  
Best toy dog, Mrs. Tooby's Sandy Mocco.  
Best Terrier puppy—Mrs. J. Burns's McGregor's Charm.  
Best Terrier dog, J. L. Jeffrey's Mirestone Topall.

Best Terrier shown by boy or girl—Mrs. Curtis's Hills Lady of Mischief.  
Best Boston Bulldog—Miss H. Hogan's Son and Heir.  
Best non-sporting puppy—Mrs. Malcolm's Peggie.  
Best non-sporting dog, Hazel Clyde's Bunt.  
Best non-sporting in show, Peggie.  
Best sporting puppy—H. Mackenzie's Blondine's Masterpiece.  
Best sporting dog, Eastham's Belle of Eastham.

Best dog shown by lady—J. L. Jeffrey's Mirestone Topall.  
Best dog shown by boy or girl, Muriel Creighton.

**Von Elm Loses His  
Finals to Neville**

Houston, Texas, Feb. 28.—Playing thirty-four holes in one under par, Jack Neville, the lone hitter from Los Angeles, trimmed George Von Elm, national amateur champion, 3 and 2, in the final thirty-six hole match of the Houston Country Club's thirteenth annual invitation tournament.

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## Your Baby and Mine

By MYRTLE MEYER ELDRED

When a baby is eight to ten months old and he is well and healthy and has been allowed to be on the floor sufficient to show him what his legs are for, he will learn to creep. He may creep backward or forward or hunch sideways, but he will learn some kind of locomotion that will carry him over the floor.

This is the first step toward walking and every parent is quite aware that the baby learned this all by himself and not because he was taught how to do it, or because he was imitating his parent.

At twelve to fourteen months the well child will stagger to his feet and move one foot ahead of the other and balance himself. Undoubtedly he will have been walking about the safe confines of his crib long before this, or on round and round the chairs, but it will take him

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about twelve months to learn that he can let go of the chair or crib and get along without aid. The few hard falls that he will get will serve to teach him what was wrong with his balance. The next time he won't fall so easily.

**CHILD IS CAPABLE**  
Far from this walking business being the responsibility of the parents, it follows the same path as creeping. The child learns it all by himself. A parent may take the child and lead him forward step by step, or have him rush from one parent to another and caught in their enraptured hands, but he doesn't learn to walk because of this. He has an instinct for walking, and he exercises this instinct when he has the strength for it.

The factors which keep babies from walking is not lack of courage, but a subtle something which tells them that their legs are not strong enough. The reason they are not strong is because of some lack of confidence, but it will not help him make up the lack of bone-baking material which is a diet and not an exercise lack.

**INVESTIGATE THE FACT**  
If your child is late in walking, don't bewail the fact that you haven't devoted the necessary time to teaching him. Don't say, "He's afraid to walk alone and won't let go of my hand"—find out what are his diet lacks and then you may be sure that if this is corrected, if the child has no rickets; that his courage and his ability to walk will come without aid from his parents.

**HON. JOAN YARDE-BULLER TO WED AMERICAN**

London, Feb. 28.—The Westminster Gazette announces the engagement of the Hon. Joan Yard-Buller, the nineteen-year-old daughter of Lord and Lady Churston, to the only son of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Guinness of New York. The wedding, the paper says, is expected to take place the coming London season.

The young couple will then go to America for about a year, and then young Guinness to study banking in his father's firm.

Lady Churston, mother of the bride-elect, was well-known to London players of twenty years ago as Denise Orme, the musical comedy actress.

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## SOCIAL PERSONAL

**MME. FAHEY CHARMED TORONTO CRITICS**  
Former Victoria Soprano Wins Praise After Recital at Massey Hall

The following extracts from several Toronto papers will be interesting to the many friends of Madame Laurin Fahey, who recently gave a recital in Toronto at Massey Hall. The great building was crowded and the audience most enthusiastic.

"Under the distinguished patronage of their Excellencies, Viscount and Viscountess Willingdon, His Honor the Lieutenant Governor of Ontario and Mrs. Ferguson, Sir William Muloch and Mrs. G. Monk, Sir Robert and Lady Falconer, the Canadian soprano, Madame Winifred Fahey gave a pleasing recital last night in Massey Hall. The event which was held under the auspices of the Toronto Musical Association, was attended by representatives of the Legislature, many prominent musicians and many members of the council and its affiliates. The program was a most interesting one, and the singing was of a high standard of excellence. An exquisite background of palms and ferns, mingled with brilliant Spring flowers, created an effective setting for Madame Fahey, who appeared in a lovely period gown of rose taffeta with lace, wearing a bandeau and a large rose in her hair. The lights in the hall were dimmed, and one or two shaded stage lamps were used during her numbers. The choice of programme provided an interesting variety, opening with a group of songs of the eighteenth century and proceeding through an Italian aria and a trio of attractive French chansons to an impressive scene from 'Oberon' and 'Thou Mighty Monster,' and concluding with a pleasing group of modern songs. After each number the popular artist was showered with flowers and applause. Her encores were much enjoyed."—Toronto Mail and Empire.

"Madame Fahey revealed a soprano voice of stupendous range. She established herself last night as a superlative soprano of whom Canada has cause to be proud. The timbre of her voice is robust almost to the point of being powerful. In addition she had that indefinable quality known as 'stage presence'—made up of personal charm, professional assurance and perfect deportment. Of her varied programme we delighted in the Mozart aria, 'Non più di fiori,' and Weber's 'Ocean, Thou Mighty Monster.' In the former she revealed all Mozart's exquisite grace, variety of outline and tenderness. In the latter her phrasing was perfect; the phrases rose and fell, as flowing as water, as free as flame. Big-toned operatic style was presented by Madame Fahey in the Weber aria. It was spiced with all the mystic magic drama of the middle ages and the singer imparted melodic beauty of a rare order."—Garry Adighian.

The critics have all given first place to the Weber aria. Augustus Bridle says in 'The Toronto Star' that 'Ocean, Thou Mighty Monster,' as the singer explained it, was meant to be a big vocal drama inside an opera. It is really an enormous operatic vocalise in which the artist with tremendous verve, resonance and clarity, giving it all the dramatic color it needed and winning a second encore. Her voice in the delicious aria of 'Fergat' and 'Mozart and one of Bishop, showed a rare quality of restraint, careful diction, excellent phrasing and a general classic out-thing congenial to the period when princes and politicians sang love-off.

J.L.S. in 'The Toronto Telegram' writes: "The appearance of Madame Fahey at Massey Hall last evening attracted a large audience which assembled to pay its respects to this Canadian singer, who is well known in Toronto. The singer made a pleasing picture as she stood in the centre of the beautifully decorated platform, and her warm, attractive personality made itself felt across the footlights. She displayed in her recital the fruits of much intelligent and painstaking study, and no small amount of native talent. Her voice possesses volume and range, and the dynamic possibilities of Weber's dramatic aria, 'Ocean, Thou Mighty Monster.'"

**ORCHESTRA LEADER WILL PLAY VIOLIN SOLOS AT CONCERT**  
Tourist Group Will Present Entertainment For Visitors at Crystal Garden To-morrow

William Tickle, leader of the Crystal Garden orchestra, will be the featured artist at the Tuesday evening concert for Winter visitors, given under the auspices of the tourist group of the Chamber of Commerce. Mr. Tickle will play "Meditation," by Muzet, and "Fritz Kreisler's Interpretation of 'Aloha.'"

"May Time" and "Bullets and Bayonets" March, by Sousa. Miss Lona Robertson, pianist, will play "Back to the Yukon," a dramatic recitation of intense interest.

The lighter part of the entertainment will be provided by the Comedienne Comedy Company with a farcical comedy entitled, "A Golden Wedding," one of Cyril Maude's most celebrated curtain-raisers. Those taking part will be Major Taylor and Mr. and Mrs. Legge-Williams. Dancing will be general after the concert.

Because of the popularity of these concerts it has been found necessary to offer the same programme on Friday as well as Tuesday evenings.

## WOMEN'S AFFAIRS

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Miss Whitton has arrived at the hotel to arrange the preliminary steps for a thorough investigation and survey of child welfare work in this province. She will be joined at the end of the week by Mr. Robert E. Mills, director of the Toronto Children's Aid Society, who will be chiefly responsible for the services provided to the British Columbia group.

During the week Miss Whitton will confer with those responsible for the study in this province, and will complete any preliminary arrangements before actual workers arrive. These will work out with the British Columbia committee the best possible lines of child care and development in this province. Thus, over a period of some weeks, it is hoped that by the contrasting study of local conditions, resources and plans, with the experience of the Eastern Canadian workers in handling similar problems elsewhere, an adequate programme will be evolved.

**Japanese Speaker At Victoria Girls' Council Meeting**  
The regular monthly meeting of the Victoria Girls' Council was held in the Y.W.C.A. on Saturday evening, with the president, Dorothy Urquhart, in the chair. During the talk and song period the girls discussed the Japanese, the third part of their Winter's project on "World Fellowship." Miss Henderson, the new sponsor, was introduced to the girls by the president.

The devotional period was well taken by the girls of the Oak Bay United Church, and the girls of the Victoria West United "Joy" group volunteered to take charge of the devotional period for the next meeting. Irene Watson, on behalf of this group, was presented with the banner for the southern end of the island, and the group having done the best work during promotion week.

A much enjoyed vocal solo was rendered by Miss Ruth Washimoto, a Japanese girl of this city. The speaker for the evening was Mrs. Shogi, a Japanese lady, who spoke on her country and people. Mrs. Shogi was dressed in full Japanese costume, and after a very interesting talk answered the many questions of the girls regarding her dress and the habits of her people. Barbara Daniels, on behalf of the council, presented each of the visitors with a bouquet of flowers. The meeting closed with the singing of "Follow the Glean."

**Fine Programme At Columbia School Monthly Recital**  
The monthly recital at the Columbia School of Music was held on Friday evening, when an excellent programme was given by the intermediate grade students in piano and violin solos and piano duets.

An eight-hundred piano number was cleverly performed by Hilda Graham and Catherine Roberts at the first piano, with Josephine Politano and Evelyn Cox at the second piano. A good work and earnest study was shown.

Special praise is given by the principal to Mona McDonald, Esie Sam, George Leith, Mary Leith, Emma Shaw and Josephine Politano, and other pleasing piano solos were those of Catherine Roberts, Doris Waites, Roberta Bousstow, Kenneth Bonner, Evelyn Dawson, Laverna Neelands, Violet Beasley, Winifred Naven, Hilda Graham, Evelyn Cox. Among many pleasing violin solos the most praiseworthy were those of Lillian Livingstone, Brian Burdon-Murphy, Clifford Wallis, Florence Kissinger and Myrtle Hoy.

In the piano duets, a very excellent number which won much applause, was "Cabaletta" op. 83, played by Mary Leith at the first piano, and Brian Burdon-Murphy at the second piano, and the duet with Marjorie Oliver at piano one Esie Sama at piano two, was another good number. Pleasing duets were rendered by Anna Allan and Josephine Politano, and by Roberta Bousstow and Doris Waites.

It was announced that the March recital would be given by students of the senior grade in piano, vocal and violin, and the junior students are to give the April recital.

Miss Kathleen Henderson, of Windsor, Ontario, has arrived in the city on a visit to her mother, Mrs. F. A. P. Chadwick. Mrs. Chadwick has been seriously ill in the Jubilee Hospital, but is now beginning to show signs of improvement.

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**GUILD OF HEALTH**  
Meetings for the month of March have been arranged as follows: Thursday, March 16, address by Archdeacon Laycock; Thursday, March 17, public organ recital in the Cathedral; Monday, March 21, annual general meeting; report of warden, gates are expected from Vancouver, Winnipeg and other points. In the afternoon of Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, at room 4, Memorial Hall, representatives will be present available for consultation, and information regarding Christian healing and the work and objects of the Guild.

**Friendly Help Society**—The monthly meeting of the Friendly Help Association will be held to-morrow (Tuesday) morning at 10:30 in the headquarters, Market Building, Corner Market Street.

**Equimatt Liberal Social**—The Equimatt Liberal Association will hold a whist drive this evening at 8 o'clock in the headquarters, Equimatt Road. The monthly meeting of the association will be held to-morrow evening at 8 o'clock.

**Equimatt Sailors' Guild**—The meeting of the Equimatt branch, Ladies' Guild for Sailors, will take place at the home of Mrs. Cave, 708 Admiral's Road, at 8 o'clock this evening.

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## STORM VERY COSTLY TO HALIBUT FLEET

No Lives Were Lost in Arctic Tempest But Damage to Boats Heavy

Cessation of Storm on Saturday Gave Slight Relief to Fleet

Seward, Alaska, February 28.—Singing of victory, the 1,000 fishermen of Alaska's halibut fleet once again winged their way to the open sea last night after a two-day battle with a storm which for a time threatened to take a greedy toll of lives.

Only the sudden cessation of the tempest saved the fleet from destruction. Caught in the full force of the gale's onslaught as it swept out of the North across the Gulf of Alaska on Friday, the 270 halibut boats struggled for hours toward ports of safety while the storm-lashed waves swept over their decks. Just as hope began to be abandoned that many of the fishermen would reach the shore alive, the storm subsided at noon Saturday, as unexpectedly as it rose, revealing a sea littered with battered and disabled craft.

A majority of the vessels, bereft of their gear and dories, jumped into Seward Saturday night and outfitted for a new voyage to the fishing banks. During the two-day storm, shipping along the southwestern Alaska coast was virtually at a standstill. Considerable damage was felt along Seward's waterfront, where the waves picked up small boats and tossed them about the bay. The injury to the halibut fleet will likely run into many thousands of dollars. General calm prevailed last night over the lately storm-torn area, the United States weather bureau reported.

## LUMBER ACTIVITY STARTING AGAIN

Over 2,000,000 Feet to be Shipped From This Port During Next Two Weeks

Movement of lumber from this port is now restarting with the reopening of a number of mills in the city, and during the next two weeks over 2,000,000 feet will be shipped to Atlantic Coast ports and Japan.

The Hayo Maru is due to dock at Rithet's Docks at 8 o'clock tomorrow morning. She will load 600,000 feet destined for Japanese ports.

On March 5, the freighter Robin Adair is expected to arrive. This vessel will take on about 700,000 feet for Atlantic Coast ports and Japan.

Es. Eureka will arrive here about March 12 and will take on approximately 1,000,000 feet from the C.P.S. Lumber Company, destined for New York.

## British Schooner Has Narrow Escape On Atlantic Coast

Portland, Maine, Feb. 28.—Rescued from being dashed to pieces on the dangerous ledge near Wood Island off the southeast coast of Nova Scotia, the British three-masted schooner Ronald C. Longmire and its crew of six, including the skipper, were rescued yesterday in tow of the coastguard cutter Osprey. The schooner, in command of William Burns, was bound from Boston to Digby, N.S., loaded with fertilizer.

## VESSEL MOVEMENTS

Seattle, Feb. 27.—Arrived: Pacific Fir 1 a.m.; Tacoma, La Placenta, 12:30 p.m.; W.S. Miller, 5 p.m.; Los Angeles, Daisy Gray, 12:30 p.m.; Diana Dollar, 6 p.m.; La Marcellaise, 11 p.m.; San Francisco, Susswell, 4 p.m.; Everett, West Mahwah, 7 p.m.; Portland, Circinus, 9 p.m.; Port Angeles, Johu Maru, yesterday; Magoya, El Dorado, yesterday; Port Gemble, 12:05 a.m.; Victoria, 12:30 a.m.; Tojo, 6 a.m.; Los Angeles, Tokiwa Maru, 5 p.m.; Everett, London Maru, 6 p.m.; Bellingham, F.H. Hillman, 3 p.m.; San Francisco, 10 p.m.; Grays Harbor, Feb. 27.—Arrived: Motorship Oregon, yesterday; San Pedro.

Portland, Feb. 27.—Arrived: Edna Christenson, 8:15 p.m.; Wapama, 6:50 p.m., San Francisco. Departed: Laurel, 3 a.m.; New York, Point Formin, a.m.; San Francisco, Daisy Cadby, 10 a.m.; San Francisco, Martha Buehner, 1:00 p.m.; Coos Bay, and P.J. Luckenbach, 5 p.m.; Puget Sound. Tacoma, Feb. 27.—Arrived: Ishin Maru, Kobe, during night; M.S. Tosco, San Francisco, night; Daisy Gray, San Pedro, 9:00 a.m.; Alaska, Seward, 8:30 a.m.; London Importer, Liverpool, 4:50 p.m. Sailed: Henry S. Grove, Baltimore, 9:30 a.m.; Daisy Gray, San Pedro, 10 a.m.

## Bargain Specials While They Last

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## VANCOUVER AGENT PREDICTS INCREASE IN TOURIST TRAFFIC

Seattle, Feb. 28.—The Pacific Northwest and British Columbia will be visited by many thousands of tourists in excess of the number recorded in any previous year, predicts Robert Hay, president of the Vancouver, B.C., Passenger Agents' Association, sixty-seven members of which organization were guests of the Seattle Ticket and Passenger Agents' Association at a luncheon at the Trans-Pacific Club yesterday.

The Vancouver delegation came to Seattle for the Sunday visit at the invitation of the Seattle organization. E. B. Ullberg, manager here for the Cunard Line and president of the local ticket agents' organization, introduced Mr. Hay at the luncheon.

## CANADIAN NATIONAL REPORTS PROGRESS

Gross and Net Earnings Increase; Operating Costs Diminish

Montreal, Feb. 28.—An increase in gross earnings, an increase in net earnings, and a diminution in the operating ratio for the month of January are shown in a statement issued by the Canadian National Railways.

During January last the gross earnings of the Canadian National Railways, including the Grand Trunk system lines in the United States, reached a total of \$20,168,259, compared with \$18,701,144 in January, 1926, an increase for January this year of \$1,467,115.

During January 1927 the working expenses amounted to \$18,182,905.55, as compared with \$16,972,772.58, in January 1926, an increase of \$1,210,132.97.

Net earnings in January last amounted to \$2,034,353.45, as against net earnings in January, 1926, of \$1,738,381.61, an increase of \$295,971.84 in favor of January of the current year and equivalent to a gain of 17.7 per cent on net earnings.

While the gross earnings of the system increased by 7.84 per cent in January last when compared with the total for January of the previous year, the working expenses increased by 6.84 per cent, and this favorable condition is reflected in a lowered operating ratio for January, 1927, of 90.6 per cent as compared with 94.7 for January, 1926.

A final statement regarding the railway operating expenses of the Canadian National Railways during the year 1926 also was issued today, complementing the preliminary statement previously issued and which indicated a net operating revenue of \$146,000,000.

The final statement shows the net revenue from railway operations in 1926 amounted to \$46,483,142.55 and this figure compares with \$22,264,414.79, the net operating revenue of 1925.

These totals exclude the revenues and expenses of the Central Vermont system and when these are added the net revenue from railway operations of all lines in Canada and the United States during 1926 amounted to \$40,225,029.64 as compared with \$20,440,295.40, revenues during 1925 of \$25,443,295.40.

## New Negotiations On the St. Lawrence Waterway Scheme

Washington, Feb. 28.—Negotiation for a treaty with Canada on the St. Lawrence waterways project will be begun within a month or so, according to reports in what are regarded as responsible circles here.

It is indicated one result of the presidential vote of the McNary-Haugen Farm Relief Bill may be a hastening of the St. Lawrence scheme, which would offer some relief to farmers in lower freight rates to the ocean.

It is reported the administration will endeavor to get the treaty through in time for presentation at the next session of Congress.

## Gosse Packing to Pay \$13.20 Share Dividend

Vancouver, Feb. 28.—When shareholders of the Gosse Packing Company Limited meet in Vancouver next Monday they will be presented with a balance sheet showing operating profits of \$496,337 for 1926, with \$254,095 available for dividends on common stock.

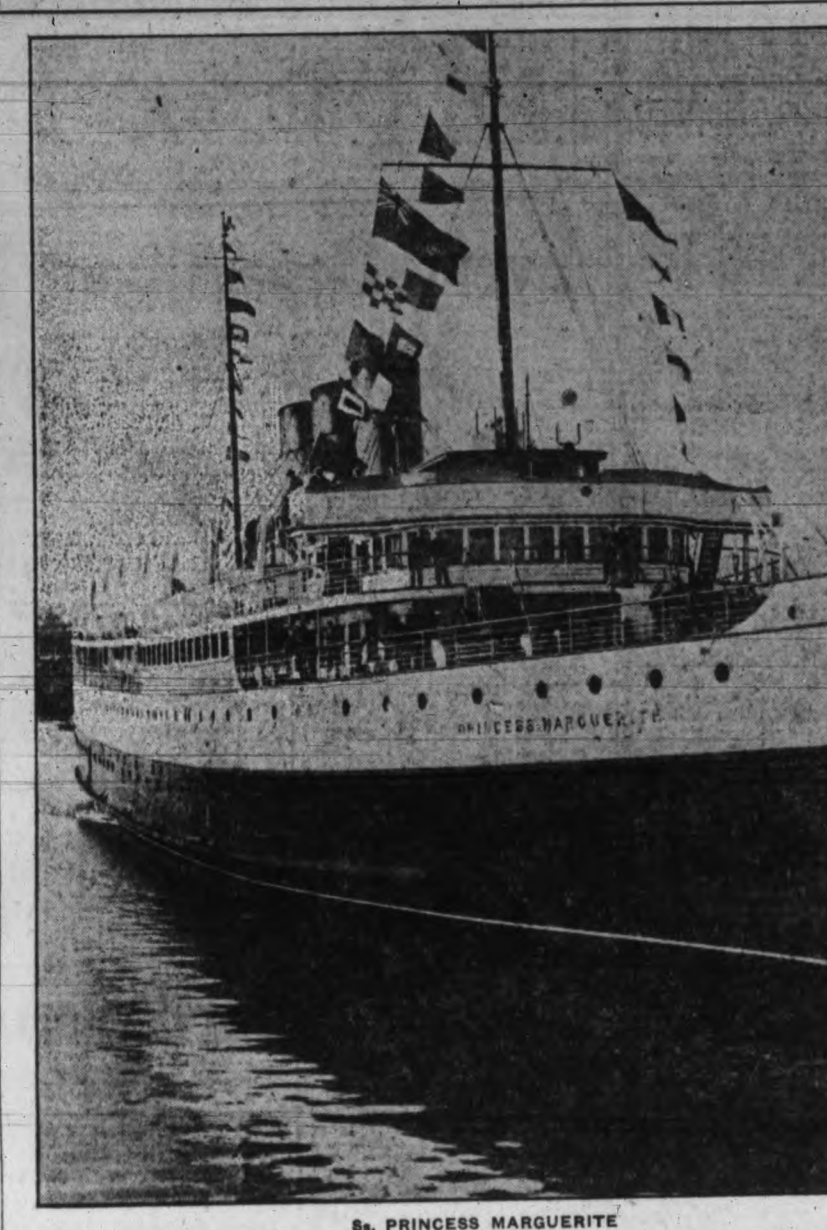
On 20,000 shares issued that distribution of \$13.20 a share.

Preferred dividends paid and accrued absorbed \$64,246. Administration expenses were deducted before operating profits. From operating profit \$17,985 was allowed for interest—\$100,000 for depreciation and \$50,000 for taxes, a total deduction of \$167,985.

The company is in good liquid position. Current assets amount to \$1,458,907 and current liabilities \$921,400 leaving net working capital of \$537,507.

Fixed assets are shown at \$1,619,672 while investment in associated company was \$15,600, and deferred charges, \$57,440. Total assets were \$3,150,727.

## WILL CARRY FIRST EXCURSIONIST PARTY OF YEAR



S.S. PRINCESS MARGUERITE one of the premier ships of the B.C. Coast Steamship Service, which will inaugurate the excursion season on May 14, taking a party to Seattle. The following day the vessel will be put on the triangle run, with the Princess Kathleen, between Victoria, Vancouver and Seattle. The Marguerite will leave here at 9 o'clock in the morning for Seattle. Five hours will be spent in the Sound City, the vessel leaving again for this port at 6 p.m. The fare for the round trip will be \$3.40.

## CARDIGANSHIRE IN FROM OLD COUNTRY

Brings 125 Tons of Cargo For This Port Including Citrus Fruit Shipment

Bringing a large shipment of citrus fruits from California, the Royal Mail Steam Packet Company's vessel Cardiganshire, Capt. Falconer, docked here yesterday morning at 7:10 o'clock from the United Kingdom, via the Panama Canal and Pacific Coast ports. The vessel was several days behind her schedule.

The Cardiganshire discharged 125 tons of cargo here, including general merchandise, hardware and manufactured goods. Just after the mooring ropes had been cast off the vessel sailed, quite a commotion was caused on the dock when two of the ship's firemen came rushing on to the wharf to get up to the city to visit friends and were tardy in returning. They left on the afternoon boat for Vancouver, where they will rejoin the vessel.

The Cardiganshire carried only one passenger for B.C. ports, the remainder of her full list disembarking in the South.

She cleared for Vancouver at 11 o'clock.

## Protest Right of Alien Fishermen

New Westminster, Feb. 28.—The B.C. Fishermen's Protective Association will send a delegate to Ottawa to protest against the granting of fishing licenses to aliens on the strength of a declaration of intention to take out citizenship papers. A decision to what effect was made at a meeting of the association on Saturday.

It is alleged that some aliens, having obtained fishing licenses failed to become naturalized as called for by their declaration. The clause to which the fishermen object had been deleted from the regulations but had later been inserted again.

## 55-Knot Blizzard Plays Havoc With Halifax Traffic

Halifax, Feb. 28.—A 55-knot blizzard from the southeast held Halifax in its grip Saturday, and choked the mouth of the harbor with sleet, swept buoys from their positions, caused the steamer Gabrielle, lying in the stream, to drag her anchors, played havoc with roofs and shutters and completely tied up traffic in the streets.

The Cunard liner Antonia, arriving off the harbor at the height of the storm, turned about and put to sea for the night. Four pilots aboard outgoing liners were unable to leave their charges when the pilot boat was unable to make its way through the ice and will be obliged to complete the several voyages, one to Liverpool and three to New York.

The ice, which presented no serious menace to steam navigation, was rapidly breaking up to-day and drifting out to sea before a northerly wind.

## UNIVERSITY TRIP PLANS ARRANGED

"Floating University" Will Use S.S. Aurania, Sailing September 21

A. J. McIntosh, who organized the University trip around the world which is now in progress, has arranged for the trip for 1927 in conjunction with the Cunard Line.

The project is now sufficiently established to justify the use of one of the modern vessels, and the Cunard Line will furnish the steamship Aurania, built in 1924. The educational programme will be under the name of the International University Cruise.

START IN SEPTEMBER The Aurania will leave New York September 21, 1927, returning May, 1928, after visiting twenty-seven countries.

The plan is to make stops of longer duration in several of the important countries in the Far East, and also in Berlin, Vienna and Paris.

The usual undergraduate courses of study will be offered, and emphasis will be given to courses suitable for graduates of secondary schools, whose parents wish to give them a year before entering college or business.

The plan of taking a limited number of older people with educational inclinations proved successful and will be included.

February 27, 8 p.m.—Shipping: BULO, bound Port Alice, 150 miles from Victoria, bound Victoria.

YOME MARU, 1,450 miles from Estevan, inbound. ALABAMA MARU, 1,200 miles from Victoria, bound Victoria.

ROBIN ADAR, 715 miles north-east of Kahula, bound Port Townsend. NIAGARA, 1,585 miles from Victoria, bound Victoria.

TACOMA, bound Victoria, 1,580 miles from Estevan Point. HAYRE MARU, 180 miles from Tacoma, bound Tacoma.

FALSTERBO, 3,507 miles from Cape Flattery, bound Tahiti. MINA BREA, bound Vancouver, aboard Alert Bay.

GLINDA, Vancouver for Prince Rupert, Queen Charlotte Sound. ROCHELLE, Vancouver for Port Alice, 5 miles south of Alert Bay.

MODULA, James Island for Anyox, 91 miles from Anyox. PRINCE JOHN, at Massett, south-bound.

February 28, 8 a.m.—Weather: Alert Bay—Rain; southeast, strong; 50.00; 40; rough. PACHENA—Rain; southeast, fresh; 29.40; 43; rough.

Estevan Point—Rain; southeast, fresh; 29.97; 45; rough. Prince Rupert—Cloudy; southeast, light; 28.80; 44; smooth.

## MARINE NOTES

Ss. West-Mahwah, freighter of the Argentine-Brazil Line, is due here early to-morrow morning, carrying 500 tons of grain from the Argentine. She will dock at Rithet's Outer Wharves.

With a good cargo and fair passenger quota the R.M.S. Niagara is due to arrive here from the Antipodes on Friday March 4. The ship, under the command of Captain J. J. O'Brien, left Honolulu direct for this port on February 25. She is due to sail again for Australia on March 9, when she will take out a capacity cargo and large passenger list.

Tenders have been called by the Department of Lands for the construction of a thirty-foot motor launch. This vessel, which will be of gasoline-engine type, will replace one of the launches now on the coast around Burrard Inlet and Howe Sound.

The C.P.R. tug Nanosee berthed at the Victoria Machinery Depot to-day, where she will undergo overhaul and cleaning and will have a new smokestack installed.

Keep Friday, March 4 open for Esquimalt Scottish Daughters' dance at Rex Theatre, Esquimalt.

TRANS-PACIFIC MAILS February, 1927

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## NEWS IN BRIEF

The 11th Fortress Signalling Co., will parade, to-night, in the Armories at 8 o'clock sharp.

The Victoria West Parent-Teachers' Association will meet in the school on Thursday evening next, when Walter McRae will speak.

The Victoria Lumbermen's Educational class will hold its regular weekly meeting in the Victoria High School this evening at 8 o'clock.

Rev. J. D. Cunningham of Shanghai will address a meeting this evening at 8 o'clock in St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, Henry Street, Victoria West.

Ward Four Saanich Ratepayers' Association will meet in the Strawberry Vale schoolroom on Wednesday evening at 8 p.m., when important business will be discussed.

A meeting of the Business Ladies' Club of the City Temple will be held at the headquarters at the Temple Hall on Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock.

Court Victoria No. 8930, of the Ancient Order of Foresters, will meet on Wednesday evening next. The meeting will be held in the Foresters' Hall, followed by a social.

A social evening, to which all members and visitors are invited, will conclude the month's business at the headquarters of Victoria Lodge No. 1, I.O.O.F., commencing at 8 o'clock to-night.

An extension of time for one week for filing returnable allotments and the annual report of the Indefinite Gold Mining Company was granted by Mr. Justice Gregory in Supreme Court Chambers this morning on the application of C. H. O'Halloran.

A social will be held in St. Mark's Hall, on Tuesday, commencing at 8 o'clock, when games, contests, songs and dancing will be on the programme. Refreshments will be provided and a good evening is assured for all. The social is under the auspices of St. Mark's W.A.

Extending cold storage facilities the firm of B. Wilson Company Limited, have taken out a permit to use the City Hall for addition to the plant constructed some months ago. The alterations will cost \$2,000. The cold storage plant is located on the premises of the firm at 53 Herald Street.

Elmer Watson, P. Van Froom and Mary M. Green each were fined \$25 in the city police court this morning for failing to have radio operating licenses. H. H. Shandley prosecuted for the Crown, urging that the defendants should not be asked to pay costs, as he had been instructed to do, he asserted. The fines were paid. All accused pleaded guilty.

"Victoria is now on the map and stays there," George L. Warren, Victoria and Island Publicity Commission, was assured in a letter received from J. A. Ford, managing secretary of the Spokane Chamber of Commerce, this morning. The letter was in reply to one sent by Mr. Warren pointing out that Victoria was left out in a map used on the Spokane Chamber's letterhead. The oversight has been remedied.

H. G. Allan has been chosen secretary to the Board of Cemetery Trustees of Greater Victoria. His appointment was made by that body recently. Mr. Allan can be reached at the treasury department, City Hall. He fills the vacancy created by resignation of John Baxter, two years secretary of the board, who relinquished his duties at the end of the fiscal year owing to pressure of other business.

Admiral W. O. Storey, who was in command of the Esquimaux Naval Station during the war, will inspect the Victoria Sea Cadets Corps to-night at 8 o'clock in the old drill hall, Menzies Street. The annual meeting of the Victoria branch of the Navy League will be held at the Empress Hotel on Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock, when officers will be elected and a report presented. Admiral Storey will be welcomed and will give a brief talk on the work of the Sea Cadets.

An address on "The Relation of the Broker to the Mining Industry" will be given by J. D. Galloway, Provincial Minister of Mines, at the Victoria Club, Campbell Building, on Thursday, March 3, at 8 p.m., before the Vancouver Island Prospectors' Association. Lecture slides of mining properties will also be shown. The address will be of great interest to all those associated with or investing in mining properties. The lecture is free, and all are cordially invited to attend.

Mrs. Wm. Rutherford of Nelson will give an illustrated lecture at the City Hall to-morrow night at 8 o'clock, under the auspices of the Victoria and District Gardeners' Association. Mrs. Rutherford, who was in charge of the Women's Institute exhibit at the Toronto Fair, will speak on gardening in British Columbia, with special reference to seed growing on Vancouver Island, and also to the possibilities of successful gardening in rocky country. This will be illustrated by scenes of seed production at several of the well-known Vancouver Island seed farms.

Under the auspices of the Women's Auxiliary to Victoria Typographical Union, Mesdames Anderson, Rowland, Chow and Stratton were joint hostesses at a whist and five hundred party on Saturday evening in Stevenson's Hall, Government Street. Many tables were in play and a delightful time was spent. The president, Mrs. Walter E. Skett, presented the prizes, the winners for the five hundred being: First ladies, Mrs. Hunt; consolation, Mrs. Hibberson. First gentlemen, Mr. Peters; consolation, S. Bowers. Whist, first ladies, Mrs. Griffith; consolation, Mrs. McCague. First gentlemen, Missa Bell; consolation, C. Burgess. Delicious refreshments were served, after which dancing was indulged in. Music was supplied by Mrs. Hibberson and Mr. Crothall.

## MAJOR OPTIMISTIC ON CITY'S PLANS FOR DEVELOPMENT

Predicts 1927 Will be Best Year in Victoria's History

States Eastern Trade Mission and Industrial Drive Bringing Results

The confidential report of Mayor J. C. Pendray on the trade mission to the East will be the chief business, before the City Council in session to-night.

The report is to be made in camera, as publication of the plans at this time might be prejudicial to negotiations now pending, it is contended.

"I regret that the good work of the industrial committee and that of the delegates who went east with me a few weeks ago must remain a little while longer unacknowledged," stated Mayor Pendray to-day. "Though we have every indication of the fruitful results that will come, it would be a mistake at this time to talk in advance of the facts."

It is open to me to say, however, that when the City Council under took its industrial drive at the first of the year it placed negotiations in the hands of a committee that has been ceaseless in its labors. I would like to predict that when the facts are known all will agree Victoria is in for a year of record growth and achievement.

Let me say further that the report received by the city in its drive for new business has been both widespread and genuine. The assistance of Victoria's Chamber of Commerce and its members, from service clubs and their personnel, and from many classes representative of business and private interests here has been of invaluable aid in the prosecution of the work.

I know of no greater formula for success than that long strong push together. That attitude to civic development has been a reality for some time now, and results are on the way.

In lower Victoria port and other data before business interests the industrial committee found a ready acceptance of many advantages exclusive to Victoria. One of these factors, our favorable geographic position in regard to water-borne carriages, has worked in our aid more than any words can tell.

"It is not too early to say that I believe that not only will Victoria find a steady growth from the influx of new business but that there will be competitive bidding for the very advantages in Victoria that are now beginning to strike home to those who have been seeking elsewhere new business but businesses long established here will feel the benefit of this development."

Victoria is in a position to announce the initial results of its drive I know the work of those who are helping to bring the development about is being recorded. Not only it deserves. Let me repeat that to my mind this will be the best year Victoria has ever known, and that the results of the year will be the proof of what I predict will be at hand," concluded the Mayor.

Victoria should reap some reward in tourist business from a ten days stop over privilege to passengers traveling East, says a letter received by George L. Warren, publicity commission, from the Pacific Coast Steamship Company. The letter points out that passengers from California to Seattle, proceeding East, are not given the opportunity to visit Victoria on the Pacific Coast, giving them an opportunity to visit Victoria if they desire.

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Late Miss Agnes MacKenzie Lived on Same Farm Sixty Years

A pioneer of Saanich passed away at the residence, Lake Hill Farm, Saanich, yesterday in the person of Miss Agnes MacKenzie, aged eighty-four years. The late Miss MacKenzie was born in Haddington, Scotland, and came with her parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth MacKenzie, to Victoria sixty years ago.

She sailed from England on August 16, 1852, on the sailing vessel Norman Morrison, arriving in Victoria in January of the following year, and since that time had lived on the farm which her parents settled.

She leaves to mourn her loss, one sister, Miss W. A. B. (Goodie) MacKenzie in Victoria; one niece, Mrs. H. M. Craft, in Oakland, Cal., and two nephews, Kenneth Watson in San Francisco, and Alexander B. Watson in Victoria. The remains are being kept at Hayward's R.C. Funeral Chapel. Funeral arrangements will be announced later.

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## TRAVELERS ARRANGE FOR BIG CONVENTION

Local Commercial Travelers Make Arrangements For Grand Lodge Officers

Many Members to Attend Convention Here This Summer

It was announced by C. M. Marshall, senior councillor of the local council of the United Travelers, that arrangements are now under way for the annual United Travelers' convention to be held here the first week in June.

The following grand lodge members will attend the convention—Joseph Bell, councillor, Tacoma; Fred Williams, junior councillor, Portland; W. B. Tullidge, past councillor, Vancouver; E. Malone, secretary, Bellingham; T. J. Pruden, treasurer, Seattle; C. L. J. Smith, conductor, Seattle; H. B. McKelvie, past Vancouver; M. G. Hunter, past Victoria and P. C. Wolf, past Tacoma. The following are members of the grand council: E. R. Krause, Spokane; William Brandle, Portland; J. G. Denholm, Victoria, and F. R. Kent, Vancouver.

The following are chairmen of the various committees in charge of the convention: A. Lindsay, finance; Mr. Hayward, catering; W. Webster, entertainment and programme; E. Rowbottom, transportation, and E. M. McConnan, reception, registration and hotels.

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## Lillian Gish Plays Superbly In Hawthorne's Classic Drama

"The Scarlet Letter," at Dominion This Week, Gives Excellent Scope for Fine Dramatic Acting of Star; Of Puritan Ancestry Herself, She Puts Whole Soul Into Characterization of Hester Prynne

When Nathaniel Hawthorne wrote "The Scarlet Letter," the world knew that he had produced a classic, but it remained for Lillian Gish to prove to the world that he had also written one of the greatest dramas of all time.

"The Scarlet Letter," Miss Gish's latest starring vehicle, is a drama almost appalling in its magnitude. It took her six years to persuade a producer to let her play it, but her ambition is justified in the remarkable play now being shown at the Dominion Theatre. "The Scarlet Letter" is certain to take its place as a classic of the screen.

The theme of the new Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer production is the story of a woman, surrounded by intolerant Puritans, who carries a badge of shame through life to shield the man she loves. In such scenes as the amazing pillory scene, where her lover, under pretence of exhorting her, voices his love and his remorse, and she vows deathless love, the drama of the situations is so tense as to be almost unbelievable.

Miss Gish is beautiful as well as compellingly convincing as the ill-fated "Hester Prynne" of the story, and Victor Seastrom's direction is remarkably fine. She plays the role of the Puritan girl facing life's greatest tragedy with an appealing wistfulness that grows into poignant tragedy as the powerful story unfolds.

In playing this part Miss Gish made what she referred to as a monument to her ancestors. Of early Puritan ancestry and herself a member of the Daughters of the American Revolution, the star took a deep personal interest in living the part of "Hester Prynne" before the camera.

### Where To Go To-night

Royal—"Beau Geste," Capital—"Paradise for Two," Columbia—"Fascinating Youth," Dominion—"The Scarlet Letter," Coliseum—"Oh, Archibald!" Playhouse—"Down the Strand," Varieties—"Scandals of 1927," Crystal Garden—Sea Bathing and Dancing.

### ALL-STAR COMPANY IN ROYAL PICTURE

Ronald Colman Plays Title Role in "Beau Geste"; Two Thousand in Cast

One of the most carefully selected motion picture casts and one that contains many "big" names, has been brought together for "Beau Geste." Paramount's most important screen undertaking which plays to-night at 8.30 and for three more days at the Royal Victoria Theatre with two performances daily at 2.30 and 8.30. Ronald Colman plays the title role, that of Michael or "Beau," the eldest of the three young brother English aristocrats who sacrifice all for each other. Neil Hamilton is the second brother, "Digby," and Ralph Forbes, playing his first screen role in America, the youngest, "John."

Alice Joyce, one of the screen's most beautiful women, and Mary Brian, are the two—and the only two—principal feminine players. Noah Beery was assigned to what critics declare to be one of the finest character roles in the history of motion pictures, that of the brave, brutal sergeant of the French Foreign Legion with whom the three brothers go to the Sahara Desert to appear in one of the strangest, most dramatic and tragic of real life exploits.

Of scarcely less importance are the roles played by Norman Trevor, a major in the Legion, and William Powell, George Rigas, Victor McLaglen, Bernard Seigel and Donald Stuart as enlisted men.

### "Scandals of 1927" With New Company At Variety Theatre

Excellent Artists to Appear on New Programme; Fine Screen Play

The management of the Variety Theatre will present to the public of Victoria this week an entirely new musical comedy company, headed by Ert (Silvers) Hunt and Mr. Debow, two clever comedians, who are bringing their company direct from the Winter Garden, Los Angeles. Mr. Hunt is recognized as one of the best comedians in his type of work and his support is excellent. One of the features of the production is Paddy McCulloch, who enjoys the distinction of being the only dancer appearing before the public who can and will dance any dance asked for by the audience. Another feature is the hand-picked chorus of American beauties, who can sing as well as dance. The company is here for an indefinite engagement. This week's entertainment is entitled "Scandals of 1927."

The lash of a thousand icy winds is felt in P.B.O.'s "The Isle of Retribution," the screen showing this week. The engaging title of this film bears out the really fine qualities James Hogan, its director, has injected into it. There have been pictures of the North before, in plentiful but monotonous profusion, but it is said that "The Isle of Retribution" will make a deeper impression upon the experienced movie public than any of its predecessors.

### Convulsive Comedy With Potash and Perlmutter Here

United Artists Release is Showing at Columbia This Week

The third annual institution of laughter, known this year as "Partners Again—with Potash & Perlmutter," is at the Columbia Theatre this week.

The picture, presented by Samuel Goldwyn as a Henry King production, is an adaptation by Frances Marion of the famous stage play by Montague Glass, and is the first of the "Potash" series to be released by United Artists Corporation.

Abe and Mawruss, the two explosive heroes, are again portrayed by George Sidney and Alexander Carr, whose arguments, predicaments and big-hearted foolishness are known to the "Potash" fans who have followed the Montague Glass stories for years in The Saturday Evening Post or in book form. In "Partners Again—with Potash & Perlmutter" the famous "fifty-fifty" duo are seen as automobile distributors. They are initiated into it, they progress through it, and make a hasty exit from it. Family complications, stock promotion, engine trouble, heart trouble and operations, police, business worries, sensational chases and aeroplane thrills tumble over one another in rapid

### AT ROYAL VICTORIA TO-DAY



MARY BRIAN

one of two principal feminine players appearing in "Beau Geste," opening at the Royal Victoria Theatre to-day.

succession in "Partners Again" leaving the spectator wondering if the partners have ever been partners, ever will be partners, and how they ever came to be "partners again."

### "ABIE'S IRISH ROSE" TO BE MOVIE SOON

Report Says Anne Nichols Will Receive \$2,300,000

Anne Nichols on Saturday sold the film rights of the play, "Abie's Irish Rose," to the Famous Players-Lasky Corporation. The price was not officially announced, but it was learned on good authority the contract called for a down payment of \$300,000 and subsequent installments totaling \$2,000,000. Miss Nichols is also to receive royalties.

She is reported to have received some \$5,000,000 from the stage production of the play, which seven companies still are portraying.

Seven years ago Miss Nichols was a chorus girl getting \$19 a week, and lucky to hold her job. Realizing acting was not her strong point, she wrote seven plays which Fiske O'Hara produced.

Finally she wrote "Abie—in five days, according to Rialto rumor, and set about procuring a producer. Twenty of the leading producers rejected it and at last Miss Nichols

scraped together the necessary money and became her own producer. That was in 1922. Since that time 9,000,000 persons are estimated to have paid \$18,000,000 to see the play.

### "Down the Strand" New London Revue At the Playhouse

Reg. Hincks Presents Third of Series; "The Third Degree" on Screen

Beginning Monday Reg. Hincks presents his third revue "Down the Strand" at the Playhouse Theatre. This is slightly different in arrangement than the preceding editions. It starts with a visit to a music hall where several famous artists in their best numbers are heard. There is a trip to the home of melodrama and a skit on the old-fashioned "Thriller" is offered entitled "The Lighthouse-keeper's Daughter." Then there is a dance story interpreted by George Brydson and Roberta Balcom. And finally a finish at the Savoy with a selection from the famous old opera, "H.M.S. Pinafore." Some of the numbers are: "Tableaux Vivants," by Will Marshall; "The Pre-historic Man," by Harold Bechtel; "I Love a Lassie," by George Brydson; "The Lass Who Loves a Soldier," by Vivien Combe; "The Meeting of the Waters," by Eva Payne, and "Mrs. Emery Awkins," by Will Marshall. Appearing in the

melodrama are Reg. Hincks, Harold Bechtel, Vivien Combe and Will Marshall. How does a man act when the police submit him to the notorious "third degree"? How does he act the first hour, the second hour, the third hour, the first day, the second day, the third, the fourth and fifth days of this mental agony and physical torture when his tormentors are every minute calling on him to confess and

every outraged nerve and quivering muscle are shrieking, "Confess!" That was the question which confronted Michael Curtiz, director, and Jason Roberts, leading man of Warner Brothers' production of "The Third Degree," starring Dolores Costello, which is all week at the Playhouse.

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The management of the Capitol Theatre announces that they have held the Harpist Trio Supreme over for one more week. The Trio will present an entirely new programme of melodies, both classical and popular, which will endear them more firmly in the hearts of music lovers.

"Narcisse," a danseuse of wonderful grace and poise, will delight Victorians with a gorgeous dance divertissement. She is billed as "The Little French Flower." Teddy Sullivan, a character comedian, will offer a pleasing collection of musical memoirs on an English concertina.

The Capitol Theatre Concert Orchestra will play a de luxe programme for the feature attractions.

As a rich young bachelor with an ideal, and like wise a legacy, that he can not collect until he gets married. There is the situation in which Richard Dix finds himself in his new Paramount starring vehicle, "Paradise for Two," with Betty Bronson as his leading lady. He takes a chance and tries a ruse, falls in love with a girl and nearly loses her. "Paradise for Two" is the screen feature at the Capitol.

## "THAT'S THAT" IS DUMBBELL REVUE

Comes to Royal Victoria Theatre Friday and Saturday This Week

The Dumbbells are coming back to the Royal Victoria Theatre on Friday and Saturday of this week bringing with them a brand-new musical revue "That's That," which they are now presenting in Vancouver for the first time.

Listed among the particularly bright highlights in "That's That" is Al Plunkett's song, "Dreamland." It is a "mother song" with a new angle and presented in a different way. Another outstanding production number is Ross Hamilton's "Coming Through the Cornfield." "Red" Newman has been particularly fortunate in getting a song hit that rivals anything he has ever had. The title of this song is "The Baby Looker Like Me." Pat Rafferty has a song about his "Queen" that crowns him as the king of knockabout comedians. Glenn Allan and Morley Plunkett offer another acrobatic dance that places Glenn in the front ranks of the modern dancers of either sex, and provides Morley with just another proof of his remarkable versatility. Morley plays no less than seven distinct types of characters in "That's That," including a blackface monologue. He does them all extremely well.

The Dumbbells Orchestra, under the capable direction of Howard Fogg, does double duty in the new revue. In their regular act, which is the second act, they have a varied programme including Rachmaninoff's "Prelude" and "Black Bottom," while in the last act they appear as an old-time, chin-whiskered dance "orchestra" playing the songs of a generation ago—"The Landers," "The Minuet," "The Cake Walk" and some of the old hoe-downs which have been brought back with such popularity by Henry Ford and others lately. The performance closes with the entire company in an old-fashioned square dance, "Gents to the right and ladies to the left, and grab your partners." Captain Plunkett has plunged lavishly to make "That's That" the most thoroughly entertaining performance of his eight years as a producer of The Dumbbells' revues.

## Elinor Glyn's "Soul Mates" at Coliseum To-day

Desmond Players Will Present  
Hilarious Farce "Oh Archibald"

A fine bill is promised for the Coliseum Theatre to-night, the feature presentation being Elinor Glyn's famous novel, "Soul Mates," with Aileen Pringle and Edmund Lowe featured. The Desmond Players will again make their appearance in the hilarious farce, "Oh Archibald," with new vocal and specialty numbers.

## Davidson Inquest In Terminal City

Vancouver, Feb. 28.—The inquest on the death of Alec T. Davidson, blister rust inspector in the Province for the Federal Government, killed in a crash between his automobile and a street car here on Saturday, will be held at the city morgue to-morrow afternoon, according to an announcement made by Coroner W. D. Brydson-Jack.

Davidson met instant death, suffering head injuries when he was pitched to the pavement from the light coupe he was driving. He was exceptionally well known in forestry circles all through the Province, and at times made his headquarters in Victoria.

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## Begin Island Hoop Playoffs Wednesday

Thrilling Basketball Encounter Expected When The Greys, Sunday School League "A" Winners, Meet Victoria College, Champions of City League; Winners to Visit Nanaimo for Game on March 12; Spencer Girls Will Meet the Axioms for City Title; First United Senior Men to Play Onwegos

Opening games in the Island Division of British Columbia Basketball Championships play-offs will be staged at the Y.M.C.A. on Wednesday evening of this week, commencing at 7.45 o'clock, when six of Victoria's leading teams will be seen in action.

The game which will undoubtedly draw one of the largest crowds will be the Intermediate "A" men's fixture between the Victoria College and the Greys of the First United Church. Both teams have yet to taste defeat, the College having won the City League title and the Greys the Sunday School championship. The College have a big following, proud of the success of their team, who will be present in full force. The Greys, on the other hand, have always had a large string of supporters, and excitement will be at its height with such a large turnout of fans. No one is willing to predict the winner. Both teams have some exceptionally fine material which can be relied upon to give a real battle to any senior team in this city. The winners of this game will proceed to Nanaimo for the Island championship on March 12.

## ISLAND TITLE AT STAKE

An Island Championship game will be staged for the Senior "B" title between the Greys, of the Victoria City League, and the Axioms, of First Church, the Sunday School League winners. Spencer's were undefeated champions of their division in the City League and can be relied upon to give the Axioms a good battle. The Axioms have been known as one of the leading ladies' teams in town and if anything are slight favorites for the title, although Spencer's have been showing up remarkably well of late and will make the Axioms step even inch of the way to capture the laurels.

The First United senior men, Sunday School champions, and the Onwegos, of the City League, will stage an exhibition game to round out the card previous to the other two games. Since joining the City League the Onwegos have improved considerably and are traveling a fast clip. They have a hard-working squad, and while they have lost in most of their encounters this season, they have given every team a run for their money and have only lost out by one or two baskets on most occasions. Rivalry is exceptionally keen between the two teams and the Onwegos will be out to demand the championship if at all possible.

The schedule of games will be as follows: Men's senior—First United versus Onwegos, 7.45. Ladies' Island Championship—Spencer's vs. Axioms, 8.30. Intermediate "A" Men City Championship—College vs. Greys, 9.15. Tommy de Macedo will handle the play-off games. He is well known to local fans as a competent referee.

Results in Saturday night's games in the City Basketball League were as follows:

Men's Senior "B" Championship—Sons of England, 26, Gyros 12. Men's Senior "A"—Jordan River 42, James Bay 16. Ladies' Senior "A"—Normal School 12, Y.M.C.A. 3. Men's Senior "A"—C.P.S., 42, Sons of Canada 21.

The victory for the Sons of England gave them the right to represent the "B" division in the play-offs for the Island title. The Gyros went out of their class, having won the "C" title, but for two-thirds of the game had the Sons stepping lively. Near the end Ray Parfitt, who played his first game of the season for the Sons, got his overhead shot working and notched some useful points.

Sons of England—Bull, McClay, Gandy, Logan, Parfitt, Thomas and H. Parfitt.

Gyros—Baker, Hudson, McNeill, Craston, Lewis and Smith. Jordan River just won their games with James Bay in a walk. They were in great shape and won without a sweat.

The teams were: Jordan River—Walker, Boyd, Henderson, Patti, McKenzie and Willoughby. James Bay—Davey, Jackson, Butler, Partington and Wright.

The Y.M.C.A. could not stick the pace in the second half and the Normal girls went out to win as they pleased.

The teams: Normal—Mines Harris, Campbell, Harris, Stevens and Mahoney. Y.M.C.A.—Misses McDonald, Downard, Bailey, Pegrum and Griffin.

The C.P.S. played a good game against the Sons of Canada and won handily. The teams were:

C.P.S.—Woodridge, Harwood, Davis, McCachern and Fagerberg. Sons of Canada—Brindley, Rutledge, Watcher, Dunn and Passmore.

## Hastings Injured

Toronto, Feb. 28.—Bill Hastings, of Toronto, companion of George Young, Catalina swimmer, on his trip from Toronto to California, and Townsend Paul, of Los Angeles, were seriously injured in an automobile accident near here Saturday night. Hastings received a fracture of the right leg and Paul, his manager, a similar injury to the right knee. The accident occurred while they were returning from a visit to Hastings' grandfather in a nearby town, when their motor cycle and side car collided with an automobile.

## WINS "GOAL" MATCH

## WALTER HAGEN



St. Petersburg, Fla., Feb. 28.—Walter Hagen turned back Gene Sarazen yesterday in the final eighteen holes of their seventy-two-hole match. The score was 8 to 7, bringing Walter's final count to 16 up.

This match was the outcome of a story written by Sarazen in a magazine entitled "Goat-getting." Sarazen contended that while Hagen might have a better reputation than the writer, in the four matches played between the pair Sarazen had won three of them. Sarazen thought he had Hagen's "goat." Walter beat Sarazen in their special seventy-two-hole match by 16 up. If two-hole match had Hagen's goat Sir Walter now had it back again.

## James Island Move Into Tie For First Place With Thistles

## Youngsters Played Hard Game But Timely Goal by Southern Defeated Them

## Victoria City Again Too Much For Wests, With Glancy Scoring Three Goals

James Island entered a tie for first place with the Saanich Thistles on Saturday afternoon by defeating the leaders 3-2 in a hotly contested game at Beacon Hill. Tommy Southern's goal shot in the second period was the margin of victory. Each team scored twice in the opening half.

This was the first defeat for the Thistles in the series. They had previously won two games. The Islanders now have two wins and a loss to their credit.

In the other games the Wests went under by 5-2 before Victoria City, which caused little change in the tail half of the standings.

The Wests made a game of it for the first half and for a part of the second half. The Wests held the lead at one spot when Pashmore hustled in a shot for the opening score. The City managed to equalize before half time when Wallis found a hole in the Wests' defense.

The Wests soon wilted in the second half and Glancy had another field day. In the last game between the Wests and City Glancy scored five goals. On Saturday he opened the second half with a goal and then punched in a second one. Another goal bounded off Peden's head into the goal and then Glancy finished off the scoring with a well-placed shot.

McMillan refereed. The teams were:

Victoria City—Leeming, Campbell and Allan. Wests—Hawkes, Preston and Bowman; Campbell, T. Smith, Glancy, Wallis and Cameron.

Victoria Wests—Woods; Harwood and Whyte; Shanks, C. Thomas and Peden; Mulcahy, Passmore, Dunn, Popham and Shanks.

Cameron, of the Thistles, receiving a pass from Thomas, slipped the ball into the net for the first center in the game between the Thistles and James Island. Two minutes later the Thistles gave the Islanders two corners in quick succession but they failed to make them count.

The Thistles were hard pressed several times at this stage of the game but the ball was taken up by Reid, and Minnis, of the Thistles, picked up a pass from Thomas, and shot a low fast one into the net. Woodcock, playing right wing for the red shirts, shot the ball at Harper, playing goal for the Thistles, who saved it. Referee Oliver said that Harper was behind the goal line when he caught the ball and awarded James Island a goal, which proved to be the first tally for the team from the island.

After the kickoff Thomas of the Thistles took a fast shot at Rodgers, who saved. Woodcock repeated for the Islanders, when he scored on a neat low shot into the corner of the net. The ball was kicked off again and Minnis, of the Thistles, took a shot at Rodgers but failed to beat him.

Bissell in the opening minutes of the second half tested Harper with a fast shot and right after took a shot at an open goal but failed when he hit the cross bar.

Southern, of the Islanders, then netted the winning goal. The Thistles kept the ball in the Islanders' end of the field for the last five minutes. Minnis had a good chance to score when he was right in on Rodgers, but kicked the ball over the bar.

F. Oliver handled the whistle. The teams went on the field as follows:

James Island—Rodgers, Carter, Rivers, Preston, Robb, Aldous, Woodcock, Bissell, Southern, Saville, Kirby.

Saanich Thistles—Harper, Kennedy, Price, Miller, Crowe, Gandy, Windle, Minnis, Cameron, Kelman, Thomas.

## B.C. Amateur Hockey Playoffs Halted By Sickness In Line-up

## Five of Towers Players Ill and Trail Agree to Postponement Until Friday

Vancouver, Feb. 28.—Play in the first game of the final series for the British Columbia senior hockey championship between Vancouver Towers and Trail, scheduled for to-night, has been postponed until Friday night owing to the illness of five of Towers' players, Allan Fellows, Grimmer, Thompson, Blair and Foster.

Postponement was decided upon last night at a meeting of the executive of the hockey association and representatives of the two teams. The second game will be played Monday, March 7.

President Watson of the provincial association, came over from Victoria to attend the meeting. Mr. Watson pays a high tribute to the sportsmanship of the Trail club who could have refused to play the game but proceeded with it to-night. They are unwilling, however, to take advantage of the weakened condition of the Towers and figure that by Friday night the home team should be in better shape.

Portland, Ore., Feb. 28.—The Portland all-star hockey team repulsed the sixth consecutive invasion of the "Reds" by defeating the Kimberley Elks sextette 5 to 3 here Sunday night, in a loosely-played tilt.

Regina, Sask., Feb. 28.—The Weyburn Beavers, senior hockey champions of Southern Saskatchewan, chalked up a 7 to 1 victory over the Saskatoon Wesley team Saturday night in the first of a two-game series in Saskatchewan senior amateur hockey play-off. It was the second game at Weyburn this season. The Weyburn team gained their advantage mainly through an effective combination attack.

Calgary, Feb. 28.—Being delayed by a freight derailment, Calgary Wheat Kernels were unable to get to Medicine Hat in time to play the return game of the intermediate provincial hockey series Saturday night. The game will be staged Monday night, with Calgary away and the Wheat Kernels walking four miles in bitter cold weather, drove thirty-eight miles in automobiles and then boarded a special train into Medicine Hat arriving there at 1 o'clock Sunday morning. Twenty-two hundred fans remained in the Medicine Hat rink until midnight.

Portage La Prairie, Man., Feb. 28.—Taking the lead with one goal lead, Winnipeg Tigers by holding Portage Hawks to a 1-0 victory in the first of a two-game series for the championship of the second series of the Manitoba Senior Hockey League. The Tigers captured the series from Portage by the score of 3 to 1.

Chicago, Feb. 28.—Winnipeg Maroons defeated Chicago Cardinals here Saturday night by a score of 2 to 1, before one of the best crowds of the season. The game was slow in the first period but the last two sessions were hard fought and the final period brought out some of the best hockey seen here this season.

## Newcastle Now Enjoys Fair Lead In Soccer

Victory Over Liverpool While Huddersfield Was Held to Draw by Everton Helped Increase Lead at Top of First Division; Tall Scoring Recorded in Saturday's Matches; Pease Sets New Record for Winger

London, Feb. 28 (Canadian Press Cable).—Newcastle established a comfortable margin as leaders of the First Division of the English Soccer League Saturday when they traveled to Liverpool and extracted a victory from the Mersey-siders by the odd goal in three.

Some tall scoring featured the games throughout the league, particularly in the minor divisions, although one game in the senior string, that at High-bury, produced a total of no less than eight goals.

Two of the three metropolitan teams won, Arsenal on their own ground and West Ham United at Bury. The Spurs were defeated at Birmingham by the only goal scored in the game.

A high mark for a wing forward was set on Saturday when Pease, of Middlesboro, secured two of the half-dozen goals registered by his team against Clapton Orient, and thus brought his pumber for the season up to 21. The previous record for a winger was held by Tunstall, of Sheffield United.

Kirkham, of Portvale, brought his figure up to 100 goals for the last three seasons, when he scored twice against Notts County. Twenty-nine players in all divisions have scored twice, but the top scorer of the day was Brain, who notched up four of Arsenal's half-dozen.

Hat tricks were registered by Richardson, of Reading; Eyres, of Stoke City and Parker, of Millwall.

Pemberton Winner of Oak Bay Match

Yesterday the winners of the six monthly competitions of the Victoria Golf Club play-off, thirty-six holes medal play on handicap, W. P. D. Pemberton was the winner. The results were:

Gross H'cp Net  
W. P. D. Pemberton, 162 24 139  
A. S. G. Musgrave, 145 24 141  
Harry J. Davis, 174 26 158  
R. W. Patterson, 174 24 150  
J. H. Lee, 181 28 153  
J. E. Wilson, 171 18 153

Pirates Beaten in Close Game By J.B.A.A.; Navy to Oppose Bays Saturday

When the Pirates took the field against the J.B.A.A. Saturday afternoon, they had hopes of wresting the Barnard trophy from the oarsmen who have held it for the past eight years. A win for the Pirates would have meant the finish of the series this season. They have had remarkable success this year for a new team, showing unsuspected strength and a fine galaxy of players. The series now is still open. The Bays meet the Navy next week, and if they defeat them in order to get in the final. The Pirates still have a good chance of carrying off the coveted prize, and no doubt Saturday's defeat will mean an added stimulus, and nerve tone to fight harder than ever. The Bays had a six point lead at the end of the first half and it followed the cross-bar. The Pirates kept up they should have had a larger score to their credit. 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# The Value of Human Life at all Ages



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Dad earns \$50 a week. He has just paid the rent, the grocery bill and milk bill. He says he is "broke, but happy".... In reality, he and his family are worth a small fortune.... This Canadian family represents \$79,100 of the nation's wealth.

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Today it is known that the lives of our men, women and children are the nation's greatest asset. The economic value of these lives completely overshadows the value of all of our material wealth.

Recent computations made by statisticians of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company show the real economic value of the lives of our people from babyhood to old age. These figures are based on the average family — with an average income — and take into consideration the average length of life of each member of the family, together with the cost of bringing children into the world, feeding

them, clothing them, educating them and bringing them up to a self-supporting basis.

Long lives and short lives — small incomes and big incomes — are reckoned in these calculations. At 40, a man earning \$100 a week is rated as having an economic value of \$45,670. At 30, the \$50-a-week man represents a value of \$31,000. He had a value of \$9,333 the day he was born.\*

—And then come the figures showing the total economic value of all the men, women and children of North America — the astounding total of 1,500 billion dollars (\$1,500,000,000,000).

\* If you wish to find out how much each member of your family is worth, economically, send for a booklet recently prepared by the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company. It tells how a person of any age may measure the economic value of his or her life. It will be mailed free.

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You would not insure a \$5,000 house for \$250 — one twentieth of its value. You insure it adequately. But have you insured yourself adequately? Send for the booklet which tells you what you are worth. Study it. Then decide whether or not you carry enough insurance to protect your family.

We are rapidly gaining a better knowledge of the value of our greatest wealth — human lives.

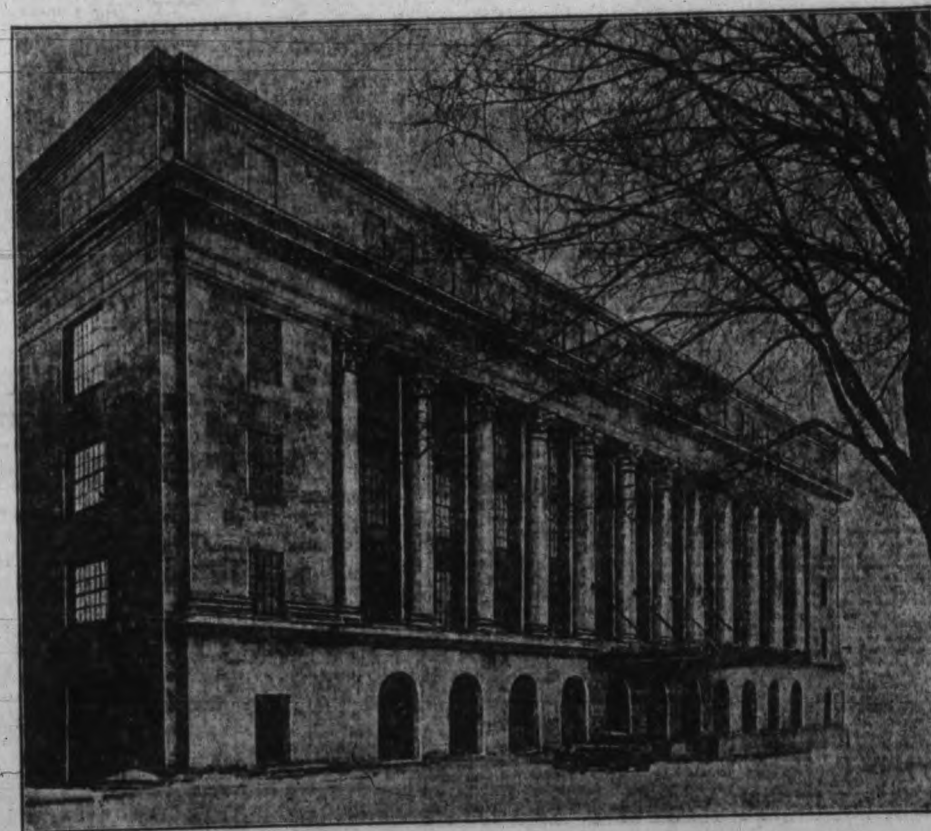
The people of the future will better safeguard their wealth and happiness.

## Fiscal Report to Policyholders for Year Ending December 31, 1926

<b>Assets</b>	\$2,108,004,385.30
<b>Liabilities:</b>	
Statutory Reserve	\$1,862,873,176.00
Dividends to Policyholders payable 1927	\$52,246,369.35
All other liabilities	\$70,648,717.81
Unassigned Funds	\$122,236,122.14
	\$2,108,004,385.30
<b>Increase in Assets during 1926</b>	\$253,346,902.88
Income in 1926	\$595,596,505.88
Gain in Income, 1926	\$64,368,062.09
Paid-for Life Insurance Issued, Increased and Revived in 1926	\$3,011,775,150.00
Gain in Insurance in Force in 1926	\$1,401,734,835.00
Total Bonuses and Dividends to Policyholders from 1892 to and including 1927	\$304,594,554.96
<b>Life Insurance Outstanding</b>	
Ordinary Insurance	\$6,566,596,872.00
Industrial (premiums payable weekly)	\$5,487,800,648.00
Group Insurance	\$1,444,584,107.00
Total Insurance Outstanding	\$13,498,981,627.00
Number of Policies in Force December 31, 1926	37,239,579

## In Canada:

<b>Business written in 1926</b>	\$167,862,023
Ordinary	\$72,888,231
Industrial	\$80,103,035
Group	\$14,870,757
<b>Business in force at end of 1926</b>	\$704,911,355
Ordinary	\$356,914,621
Industrial	\$310,464,350
Group	\$37,532,384
<b>Investments in Canada</b>	\$137,770,136
Dominion Government Bonds	\$48,297,078
Provincial & Municipal Bonds	\$40,956,969
All other Investments	\$48,516,089
<b>Policies in force in Canada</b>	2,349,904
<b>Payments to Canadian Policyholders in 1926</b>	\$10,079,007
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# Spoilt Music

By RUBY M. AYRES

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She had never had a girl friend to whom she could tell little secrets; never a woman friend whom she felt she could really trust.

Delores had been kind to her, but she looked at life from a different angle to Jennifer. She saw it through distorted glass, and accepted what she saw, or so Jennifer considered.

There was nobody else. Not a soul whom she could ring on the phone, or at whose door she could arrive with her boxes and ask for a few nights' shelter, sure of not being refused. The taximan repeated his question.

"Where shall I drive to Miss?" Jennifer recovered herself with an effort as memory flashed Mr. Gurney's cheery face before her. He had always been kind, and his last words were, "If I can be of any use to you, be sure to let me know."

Her spirits rose as she gave his address. As the taxicab rolled along through the remembered streets of the city, Jennifer had the curious feeling that she was driving back into the past. There was the lamp-post where she had waited in the evenings for the omnibus, there was the tea-shop where she had eaten her lunch so many times, and—yes, there was even the same policeman at the Bank Corner, directing the traffic with stolid capability. He had not changed at all not aged a day.

Jennifer laughed at herself for feeling amazed that things had not altered. After all, why should they have done so? Eighteen months is nothing out of a lifetime. It was probably only she who had changed.

Her heart beat fast as she got out of the taxi, and telling the man to wait, she ran up the wide stone staircase to Mr. Gurney's office.

Everything unchanged here too. Ceilings still wanted whitewashing, and doors cried out for a coat of paint.

She opened the outer office door and walked in.

A row of clerks leaning over remembered desks, stopping working to look up.

Jennifer scanned their faces eagerly, but there was not one that she knew; strangers all of them.

The first chill of disappointment touched her heart, and her voice was not quite steady as she asked if Mr. Gurney was in, and could she see him.

One of the clerks got down from his stool and came forward.

"Mr. Gurney," he asked politely, "Yes, I am Miss Fry. If you tell him, I know that he will see me."

The rustle of parchment seemed a great noise in the little silence that followed; then the clerk said diffidently:

"I am sorry. You have not heard perhaps—but Mr. Gurney died seven months ago, and the practice has been sold."

"Oh!" She had never dreamed of this; never thought it possible.

The clerk said again sympathetically: "The new owner, Mr. Selbourne, is in. I am sure you would like to see him."

"No; oh no! It's of no consequence, thank you."

She walked out of the office blinded by tears.

Dead! It seemed impossible that she would never again see Mr. Gurney's kindly face. She felt as if someone had cut the solid ground from beneath her feet and left her amongst quaking sands. She told the taximan to drive her to a quiet hotel in Bloomsbury where she had once lunched with Nicholas Gaunt. They had chosen it because it had seemed unlikely they would meet anyone there whom either of them knew. It was an hotel used chiefly by commercial men and people visiting London from the country, but it was quiet and clean, and Jennifer gave a sigh of relief when she found herself safely installed in one of its bedrooms.

She sat down on her largest trunk and looked around her. It was like starting life again; it was like sealing up the chapter of the past and beginning a fresh one.

But now she had less courage to face things boldly; she felt far less capable of fighting Fate than she had

some eighteen months ago when she parted from Nicholas.

"I must go abroad. That's the best thing to do, I must go abroad."

The thought floated unthought into her brain, and she clung to it as a drowning man will cling to a straw.

Abroad one could hide in little towns abroad nobody knew one's business, or cared, and with the small income from her capital she could manage quite well. She wished she had taken Mr. Gurney's advice and had invested her money, instead of recklessly spending it.

She wished with all her heart and soul that he was with her, so that she should go to him and tell him her troubles. But it was too late. The one kind friend of whom she now felt she could have been sure was dead.

To whom else could she turn? The man she loved had no right in her life, and she no longer had a place in the regard of the man who had loved her.

## CHAPTER XLII

"I've made a terrible mess of my life, that's what it is!" Jennifer told herself hopelessly.

It seemed incredible that she could ever have made anyone hate her as Buddy hated her, and then her sense of repulsion changed to pity as she realized the girl must have loved Chesney.

Jennifer knew what it was to suffer because one loved too well.

Even now, as she sat in the rather dreary bedroom of the Bloomsbury hotel she felt as if there were two forces at war in her heart, one that was straining every longing nerve to go to Nicholas Gaunt, and the other restraining that passionate impulse with iron will.

Life was so short. Why not take the crumbs of happiness which were flung in the way? "If I had gone to him and he had grown tired of me, I should have died," Jennifer said aloud.

She was answering the hunger of her heart trying to beat it down.

What was she doing now, she wondered miserably. Did he know she had gone? Perhaps he would try to find her—the thought drove her to her feet.

"I must go away where he cannot follow me. I dare not see him again," she told herself in despair.

If only Chesney had not failed her. This love would have been a sure harbor—her gratitude to him would have made a strong defence against Nicholas.

She took off her hat and brushed her hair.

The day stretched endlessly before her—she longed with all her soul for someone to whom she might go with complete confidence.

To Be Continued

## BEDTIME STORY

### Uncle Wiggily and the Early Wind

By HOWARD R. GARIS

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One day Uncle Wiggily's wife said to him:

"Don't you think we ought to let Nurse Jane Fussy Wussy go?"

"Go? My goodness! Go where?" asked Mr. Longears. "If she wants to go to the movies I'll take her and you also."

"No, I don't mean that," explained Mrs. Longears, counting on her paw to make sure all the forty-seven little bunnies had gone safely to the Hollow Stump School. "I mean we should let Nurse Jane go away from me."

"Oh, my goodness!" cried Mr. Longears, pulling his pink nose until it stretched like a rubber boot. "Whatever would we do without our muskrat lady's housekeeper? Before I married you, my dear, and she lovingly kissed his wife, before I

stuffed rheumatism crutch, which Nurse Jane had gnawed for him out of a corn stalk, and away hopped the bunny gentleman.

"What's this, a letter?" asked the bunny gentleman.

"It's a slip of paper with a dozen eggs written on it," squeaked Nurse Jane.

"Oh, so it is!" exclaimed Uncle Wiggily, reading the writing. "But what is it for?"

"That's for you to go to the store, if you please, and get a dozen eggs," answered the muskrat lady. "I wrote them on the paper so you wouldn't forget."

"I see," said Uncle Wiggily. "I'll hop to the store right away and get the eggs." So he put on his tall silk hat, took his red, white and blue

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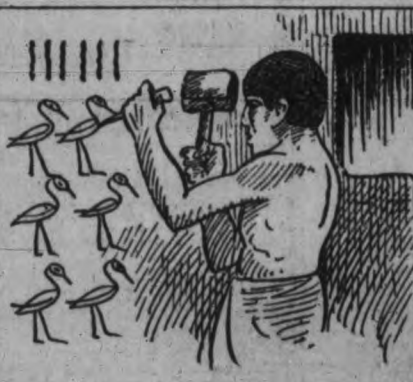
## BRINGING UP FATHER



## OUTLINE OF SCIENCE

### XLIX—Why We Count by Tens.

### by MAX HAHN



EARLY MAN DIDN'T PUZZLE HIS BRAIN OVER COUNTING UNTIL HE BECAME A PROPERTY OWNER. THEN HE WANTED TO KNOW HOW MANY COWS HE HAD.

THE COUNTING SYSTEM WAS ORIGINATED BY OUR ANCESTORS, WHO USED THEIR FINGERS FOR ADDING MACHINES. THE PLAN OF COUNTING BY TENS IS SO GOOD THAT WE STILL USE IT.

IF THOSE EARLY MEN HAD EIGHT FINGERS INSTEAD OF TEN WE PROBABLY WOULD BE COUNTING BY EIGHTS INSTEAD OF TENS.

BUT IT WAS A LONG TIME BEFORE MAN LEARNED TO USE FRACTIONS. HE DIDN'T KNOW HOW TO FIGURE THE TOTAL OF CLOTH REMNANTS.

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By DWIG



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**CITY Temple Band** concert and dance, Monday, March 7, 8 o'clock, at the K. of P. Hall, North Park Street. Concert to 11, dance 9 to 11. Ladies 25¢, gentlemen 50¢.

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**PARTNER** whist, S.O.E. Hall, opposite Colman's, Saturday, 8.30. Two Swift teams; other good prizes. Admission 25¢. 1283-2-36

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**DURING HIS UNCLE'S ILLNESS ANDY TOOK CHARGE OF BIM'S BUSINESS AND PROCEEDED TO ESTABLISH A WORLD'S RECORD FOR MISTAKES, BLUNDERS— ERRORS— AND "FOX PAWS" IN ADDITION TO LOSING MILLIONS OF DOLLARS OF BIM'S MONEY— HIS LETTER AND CABLES TO UNCLE BIM'S LIFE LONG FRIENDS IN AUSTRALIA HAS FORCED HIM TO RUSH HOME TO EXPLAIN AND APOLOGIZE FOR ALL ANDY'S MISTAKES—**



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**OPEN** a shop on Yates Street, near Wharf, and derive full benefit of your labor. We ask for rental. Every day, 124 Pemberton Bldg. Phone 1229.

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**COLLECTIONS**—Many a business man has written his own business obituary on his credit record. We collect his debts. No collection, no charge. T. P. McConnell Mercantile Agency, 785 Broughton Bldg.

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**FOR SALE**—3 black Orpington pullets, 5 Wyandotte pullets, thoroughbred. 2512 Belmont Ave. 4979-2-30

**WANTED**—One dozen, laying pullets. Phone 6221L.

**YOU** can average 5 eggs weekly from each pullet feeding Karwood Poultry Ration, the harvesting expert. Costs only a cent daily for twelve hens. Obtainable from all dealers.

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**A** MULTIGRAPH equipment bargain for \$175 cash or \$250 on terms to responsible party. There is double the amount of type that usually comes with new machine, making it possible to do two-page work. Apply 24 Winch Bldg. 4293-2-36

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**A** BARGAIN—Modern Encyclopedia, ten volumes, late edition, as good as new; cost \$54; price for cash \$25. Would make a splendid gift for your boy or girl or for your home. Call at 24 Winch Bldg. City.

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**FOR SALE**—Heintzman upright grand piano, nearly new. Phone 2464.

**FOR SALE OR TRADE**—One 24 horse-power "Evinrude" engine. Will change for radio or cash-register, G. E. Reed, Box 86, Ladymart. 4962-2-32

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**FOR SALE**—Grege shortboard; Grege Speed Studles and a number of Bussell's Corrosion books, including bookkeeping. Phone 2487 after 6 p.m. 2-31

**FOUR** USED RANGER BARGAINS at B.C. Hardware, 718 Fort Street. 1-1

**GLAZED** hot bed sash, 2 ft. x 5 ft. 33. 2 ft. x 6 ft. \$3.50; sash veneer panels, 2-ply, 7 cents per foot. The Moore-Whitcomb Co., Ltd., 3184-2-30

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**20** used sewing machines at sacrifice prices. 718 Yates.

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**A** WARNING—You will bitterly regret the use of depilatories, after a time the result is disastrous. Electrolysis alone is safe and permanent. Miss Hamilton, 4902-2-57

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**NOW** IS YOUR OPPORTUNITY TO SELECT YOUR CAR BEFORE THE SPRING RUSH

Terms and Trades Arranged

**Tuesday's special** in a Touring car... \$15

**1923** Touring, mechanically perfect, finished in new beige color. A... \$275

**1926** Roadster, new car condition. Tuesday... \$460

**1923** 14-ton Truck, carrying car... \$375

**1921** OVERLAND Touring, finished in new maroon color. Tuesday... \$135

**NATIONAL MOTOR COMPANY LIMITED**

821 Yates St. Phone 4309

### TRUCK BARGAINS

**1923** FORD TRUCK with large open body and cab. Motor in A1 shape; tires like new; repainted and in readiness for a lot of hard work at... \$325

**1924** FORD PANEL DELIVERY van, thoroughly overhauled and reconditioned. Anyone looking for a panel job should see this one at... \$400

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**\$585**—OLDSMOBILE Touring, in very nice shape. This car has good speed, bumper, mirror, sun visor, spotlight, 1927 license, windshield cleaner, etc. Fully guaranteed, at only... \$585

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**1925** CHANDLER Coach, Big Six. This car has been very well used... \$1150

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Minutes to car and sea. Entrance hall, drawing-room with beam ceiling, dining-room with built-in buffet, open fire, kitchen, pantry, three bedrooms, dressing-room and three-piece bathroom; central basement, furnace, built-in tub, reserve cupboard.  
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CRYSTAL GARDEN—Turkish and sea water baths, the finest health-giving method of reducing fatness. Phone 1397.  
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Half cord ..... \$2.75  
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BEST OLD WELLINGTON COAL  
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SMITH & SONS

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DR. W. P. FRASER, 293-315 St. John St. Bldg. Phone 3204. Office 430 to 432 B.C.  
**OSTEOPATHIC PHYSICIANS**  
DR. V. B. TAYLOR, general practice. Special attention to finger surgery of the eye, ear, nose and throat. 404 Pacific Bldg. Phone 1451.

**PHYSICIANS**  
DAVID M. ANDER, M.D., Women's Diseases, 411-413 Pacific Bldg. Seattle.  
**TO CONTRACTORS**  
TENDERS are required for the erection of the nave and part of the West End of Christ Church Cathedral, Victoria, B.C.  
Tenders must be accompanied by a Certified Check for five per cent. (\$5) of the amount of the estimate. A deposit to be made by Certified Check for Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$250.00) and Contractors on application for Drawings and Specifications, on return whereof the said amount will be refunded.  
Drawings and Specifications can be obtained on and after Thursday, 28th inst., at the office of the undersigned, with whom sealed tenders must be deposited, addressed "Christ Church Cathedral, Tender," not later than 5 o'clock p.m. on Thursday, the 21st of March next.  
The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.  
J. C. M. KEITH, Architect.  
423 Bayward Building, Victoria, B.C. February 23, 1927.

**DIESEL TUG "RADIUS"**  
For Sale by Public Auction  
On Wednesday, the 2nd day of March, A.D. 1927, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at Messrs. Fraser & Neave, Coal Harbor, Vancouver, B.C., there will be offered for sale by Public Auction the Diesel Tug "Radius," formerly official number 159,958, length 63 ft. 8 in., breadth 14 ft. 11 in., depth 8 ft. 7 in., powered with 125 H.P. "Atlas" engine. For all or any further particulars, terms and conditions of sale, apply Board of Marine Underwriters, No. 105 Credit Foncier Building, Vancouver, B.C. The vessel is now lying afloat and in good place for appointment with the undersigned. The vendors reserve the right to withdraw the vessel from sale if a satisfactory bid be not made.  
Dated this 22nd day of February, A.D. 1927.  
BOARD OF MARINE UNDERWRITERS,  
806 Credit Foncier Building, Vancouver, B.C.

**SOCCER GAME**  
On Wednesday, at 2:30 o'clock, a soccer match will be played at Central Park between the Delivery Tigers and the Groceries Tarantula. The teams will be:  
The Delivery Tigers—Goal, H. Holman; fullbacks, V. Beynon, A. Barry; halfbacks, H. Nancarrow, A. Webb and J. Allan; forwards, B. Simpson, L. Harman, T. Moir, C. Turner and B. Cameron.  
The Groceries Tarantula—Goal, Evans; fullbacks, I. Cann, V. Smith; halfbacks, F. Hawkins, G. Butcher and A. Rutherford; forwards, P. Kelly, T. Burns, G. Griffin and Thompson.

**AT LESS THAN COST**  
**ATTRACTIVE STUCCO BUNGALOW**  
NEW AND MODERN IN EVERY RESPECT  
SUBSTANTIAL REDUCTION FOR QUICK SALE  
Special Features:  
(1) Six bright and airy rooms, faces south.  
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(3) Solid oak floors in dining-room, living-room and hall.  
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The particular bungalow we offer this brand new stucco bungalow that will stand the most rigid inspection at an attractive price for a quick sale. Situated on a good street with rural surroundings, close to street car and popular sandy beach. Favorable Terms Can Be Arranged.  
Call for Further Particulars and Appointment to View.  
P. R. BROWN & SONS LIMITED  
1115 Broad Street Phone 1076

**WE have a very attractive old-established business for sale showing wonderful profits. It will take from \$25,000 to \$100,000 to handle this, but it is well worth while. No phone information.**  
B. C. BOND CORPORATION LIMITED  
1200 Government Street

**BAYS STILL FACTOR IN SCRAMBLE AFTER LAURELS IN RUGBY**  
(Continued from page 12)  
**CLOSE CALL**  
In the second half there was but one score, that of the Pirates which was in the Bays' first count which resulted from a free kick. Fraser again took his luck with a place kick and this time made the three points. There was no further score although the Pirates at the end of the second half had at least five scrums almost on the Bays' line. Walls saved an almost inevitable try when he took a "coming from the Pirates" side of the scrum and sent it to touch about thirty yards back.  
A. E. Sparks referred the game and the teams lined up as follows:  
J.B.A.A.—Frampton; Christie, Walls, Brynjolfsson, Buller, McLean, McMillan; Dawson, Warnock, Mayhew, Buss, Colman, Pedep; Watson, and McDonald.  
Pirates—Fanning; Fraser, Hunter, Grubb, Churnrance; Diespecker, Jones; McLean, Florence, McKee, Curries, Baldwin, Beales, Killick and Pendray.

The University School defeated the Normal School 32-0 in an inter-mediate League rugby game at the Willow Park on Saturday.  
Reg. Wenman opened the scoring about five minutes after the kick-off when he went for a try. Wenman converted his own kick. Skillings made the second count after a

Sealed tenders, envelope endorsed "Tender for Material and Equipment" will be received by the undersigned for the purchase of material and equipment at the Hastings Shingle Company Limited, Victoria, B.C., up to noon of Wednesday, March 2, 1927.  
Tender price for 10 per cent. of amount tendered, and balance payable upon acceptance.  
The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.  
List of material and equipment and further particulars may be obtained from the District Forester, Vancouver, B.C., and  
P. Z. CAVERHILL,  
Forest Branch, Victoria, B.C.

**CUSTOMS SALE**  
GAS BOATS "M-546" AND "438-M"  
By direction of the Department of Customs and Excise Two American Gasoline Vessels, described hereunder, will be sold, as they are, by Public Auction by the James Bay Athletic Club's Boat House, Victoria, B.C., at 10:30 a.m., February 28, 1927.  
"M-546," approximate dimensions, length 44 ft., breadth 9.6 feet, depth 4 feet, tonnage 16 gross, power two 8-hp. cylinder Sterling-Dix engines.  
"438-M," approximate dimensions, length 22.5 feet, breadth 7 feet, depth 3 feet, tonnage 7 gross, power one 8-hp. cylinder Van Hook engine.  
Also two large second-hand tanks.  
Terms of sale—Cash. The highest or any bid not necessarily accepted. If vessels are retained in Canada duty in addition to the amount of bid at sale must be paid after sale. Further particulars at sale.  
F. W. DAVEY,  
Collector of Customs and Excise, Victoria, B.C.

**How is this one?**  
A clean, closely contested junior football game resulted in a win for the ex-High United at Central Park on Saturday afternoon over the five C's. The opening half the five C's showed no home advantage, then Courtney Cleveland got ex-High for

**Ex-High United Win Close Game**  
Following are the scores, two possible being made:  
Sgt. A. H. Hudger ..... 50  
Bdr. B. E. Badger ..... 40  
Gnr. R. Coulter ..... 40  
Gnr. W. Wilkerson ..... 40  
Gnr. W. Quayle ..... 48  
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L-Sgt. E. Simmonds ..... 45  
Gnr. A. Wilcox ..... 42  
Gnr. R. Coulter ..... 42  
Gnr. G. Carey ..... 43  
L-Sgt. J. Eastick ..... 43  
Gnr. E. Whitten ..... 40  
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**TO-MORROW'S HOROSCOPE**  
"The Stars Incline, But Do Not Compel"  
(Copyright)  
TUESDAY, MARCH 1, 1927  
Astrologers read this as a fairly promising day, in which strong benefic influence prevail. There is a particularly good sign for commercial matters.  
Agriculturists certainly are to benefit greatly before the end of this year, which will be marked by amazing world events.  
This should be a fortunate year for real estate and the seers foretell increased interest in landholding here in the United States because of a new foresight.  
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War news will crowd the pages of the public press as the Spring and Summer advance, it is foretold.  
Impetus to inventions of many sorts will be given by startling world events, it is indicated.  
Chemistry, science and education are to command even more attention than usual, Germany is to guard a new discovery supposed to be vital in warfare.  
Saturn is now in a place said to be disturbing to Italy, Austria and Czechoslovakia.  
One of the leading astrologers of London predicts news of carnage and of countries devastated before the Summer is far advanced.  
Persons whose birthdate it is have the augury of a year of much varied activity.

**SENDING OF BRITISH CRUISER TO NICARAGUA**  
Opposed by Liberals  
Washington, Feb. 28.—Dr. T. S. Vaca, Nicaraguan Liberal faction representative here, today described the dispatch of the British cruiser Colombo to Corinto as "quite a departure" from the Monroe Doctrine, and said it was unnecessary, since "there are hardly a dozen British subjects on the Nicaraguan west coast."

**BIBLE TEST**  
TEST ANSWERS  
Here are the answers to today's intelligence test, which appeared on Saturday:  
1—Herod's daughter of the innocents.  
2—Matthew, Mark and Luke.  
3—Solomon.  
4—Nineveh.  
5—Jude.  
6—David's son, who rebelled against him and was killed.  
7—Under Solomon.  
8—Isaiah.  
9—Peter.  
10—Annas.

**MUTT AND JEFF**  
THE FACT THAT WE AIN'T SEEN THE CANTONESE ARMY DO ANYTHING BUT EAT AIN'T NO REASON WHY I SHOULDN'T SHOOT A STORY BACK TO THE PAPERS IN THE STATES!  
BUT WHAT IS THERE TO WRITE ABOUT?  
PLENTY! THESE CHINESE ARE THE MOST SUSPICIOUS SOLDIERS THAT EVER DUG A TRENCH! ONLY YESTERDAY THEY EXECUTED THIRTY BOZOS! THE EXECUTIONER IN THIS MAN'S ARMY EARN'S HIS CHOP SUEY, BELIEVE ME!  
WELL, WHAT TH-?  
MUTT, THAT BOZO LOOKED AT MY NECK AND CHUCKLED! AN INSULT I CALLS IT BECAUSE I KNOW IT AIN'T DIRTY!  
THAT AIN'T IT, JEFF? HE'S THE OFFICIAL BEHEADER OF THIS ARMY AND HE'S ONLY SIZING UP SOME PROSPECTIVE JOBS, THASS ALL!  
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**CHINESE ARMIES LINE UP FOR FIGHT**  
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The Southern army of the Cantonese occupied that city.  
News to this effect was brought here by an eyewitness, a Presbyterian missionary, who said that a day before the occupation of Hangchow by the Cantonese army, numbers of the Northern soldiers demanded money from the Chamber of Commerce.  
Members of that body, knowing the Cantonese were near, tried to put the demands with promises. This was unsatisfactory to the Northern soldiers, who marked out a section of the city a mile square, containing the best shops, including those of the silversmiths, and immediately looted everything in sight.  
They then returned to the chamber and asked if it wanted more carried whereupon the members handed out \$40,000 in cash.  
The next morning, with the knowledge the Southern army were fast approaching, organized corps of armed civilians began to attack and slaughter all Northern soldiers and civilians looters they could find. Hundreds were butchered in this man hunt, the missionary said.  
In detailing some of the scenes during this reign of terror, the eyewitness said he saw one looted-laden soldier dragged into the street and killed and trampled to death. Another had his head completely blown off.  
The treatment received from the Northern soldiers, the missionary said, made the citizens of Hangchow welcome the Cantonese. The latter's officers were smartly uniformed and their soldiers well armed. Six ponies allotted to every 1,000 men carried machine guns. Their coolies had been paid and were well fed.  
The missionary contrasted this with the conditions surrounding the looting of citizens of Northern soldiers, who were often worked until nearly ready to drop and then were shot as useless.  
The Southern soldiers, the missionary said, generally refrained from looting when they reached Hangchow except in the homes of foreigners. Such places were sacked, open and Reports from Sunchiang, where the next major battle of the campaign is expected to be fought, to-day told of Northern troops tearing up the railroad to retard the Cantonese.

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**WARDEN TO ACTION AND FOR THE REMAINDER OF THE HALF EX-HIGH HAD THE BETTER OF THE PLAY. BILL MEARNS AND ARTHUR LAUNDY DID FINE WORK. FOR THE FIVE C'S, EDDIE VIGGERS, CENTRE HALF, PLAYED A GOOD GAME.**  
The Five C's had again the better of the opening play in the second half. Ex-High responded, and fast play resulted in a goal being scored by H. Rutlan.  
David Swan refereed.

**Rifle Shooting**  
The Fifth B.C. Coast Brigade, C.A., started their practice shoots on the miniature range at the Armories on Friday evening. Practice will be held every Friday evening until further notice. All ranks are urged to attend these shoots.  
Following are the scores, two possible being made:  
Sgt. A. H. Hudger ..... 50  
Bdr. B. E. Badger ..... 40  
Gnr. R. Coulter ..... 40  
Gnr. W. Wilkerson ..... 40  
Gnr. W. Quayle ..... 48  
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Gnr. A. Wilcox ..... 42  
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Gnr. G. Carey ..... 43  
L-Sgt. J. Eastick ..... 43  
Gnr. E. Whitten ..... 40  
Gnr. W. James ..... 37

**HORSE RACING**  
Tia Juana, Feb. 28.—Results of racing here yesterday:  
First race, mile and seventy yards—1, Dunderbush, \$7.40, \$4.30; 2, Silent King, \$3.10, \$2.40; 3, Third runner, \$2.50, \$2.10.  
Second race, mile and a half—1, Wilfrude Wood, \$25.80; 2, Penelope, \$7.40, \$4.30; 3, Silent King, \$3.10, \$2.40.  
Third race, six furlongs—1, Quintana Roo, \$5.80, \$4.80; 2, Llanolimp, \$5.50, \$4.50; 3, Phyllis Gentry, \$3.10, \$2.40.  
Fourth race, mile and a half—1, Jones—1, Perichien, \$10.80, \$7.20; 2, Lemen Seth, \$11.50, \$7.20; 3, War Belis, \$11.50, \$7.20.  
Fifth race, mile and seventy yards—1, Breadroom, \$25.80, \$15.80; 2, Voshell, \$4.40, \$3.80; 3, Fabian, \$6.60, \$4.40.  
Sixth race, four and a half furlongs—1, Alexander, Pantegans, \$32.10, \$20.00; 2, Procter Hug, \$6.60, \$4.40; 3, Henrietta Wildair, \$5.40, \$4.40.  
Seventh race—One mile—1, Shasta Gold, \$9.20, \$5.40; 2, Kamakani, \$7.40, \$5.40; 3, Sanabar, \$3.10, \$2.40.  
Eighth race, mile and seventy yards—1, Platiron, \$7.60, \$2.40, \$2.80; 2, Penelope, \$2.80, \$2.40; 3, Pol-low Me, \$5.10, \$4.40.  
Ninth race, five and a half furlongs—1, Slieve Conard, \$4.40, \$3.80; 2, Jack Alexander, \$2.80, \$2.40; 3, Pol-low Me, \$5.10, \$4.40.  
Tenth race, mile and seventy yards—1, Huguence, \$32.10, \$4.40; 2, Be Frank, \$7.40, \$4.40; 3, Frank Jailer, \$3.80, \$2.40, \$2.40.

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## CELEBRATE VICTORY OF BRITISH TROOPS

### Local Units Commemorate Fallen of South African Cam- paign at Service

Military units paraded yesterday afternoon at the Bay Street Armories to celebrate the victory of the British troops at Paardeburg and the capture of the Boer leader, General Cronje, in the South African war. The battle of Paardeburg lasted from February 18 to 27, and was one of the outstanding successes of the campaign.

For years this tablet, with its roll of honor, was installed at the old drill hall on Menzies Street, but it was moved with the erection and opening of the new armories on Bay Street.

Ex-service men, members of the 5th Regiment, and other military and naval units, attended the service. South African campaigners were well represented.

### Sidney

Sidney, Feb. 28.—The next meeting of the North Saanich branch of the Canadian Legion will be held in Matthews' Hall on Tuesday, March 1, at 8 p.m. The legion has decided to make this a social evening, and all members and ladies are cordially invited. Refreshments will be served, and an excellent programme has been arranged, which promises an enjoyable evening.

The gas boat, City of Anacortes, landed at Sidney on Saturday, having conveyed a party of forty-six members of Moose Heart Lodge from Anacortes, who boarded the flying line stage for Victoria, where they visited a brother lodge. The party, after staying the evening at the Douglas and St. James Hotels, left Sidney at 2 p.m. Sunday.

The Discovery Isle of Hongkong called at Sidney on Saturday. The palatial yacht anchored in the stream off the Sidney pier, while the Yinnace conveyed Capt. and Mrs. Beaumont to shore to conduct a few business transactions. After loading supplies the yacht sailed for Discovery Island.

Guests registered at the Sidney Hotel for the week were: Fred Service, Alberta; Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Wixie, Victoria; J. A. Small, Victoria; Anton Strommes, Vancouver.

### FRESH CODFISH

To freshen codfish, pour boiling water over it several times, but do not let stand in the water or boil, for it will grow tough.

**BEJ FOR SOUR  
STOMACH**

## TWO MURDER TRIALS AT ASSIZES HERE

Mr. Justice Aulay Morrison  
Will Open Sitting at Court  
House Tuesday

With seven cases on the list, including two murder trials, the Victoria Spring Assizes will open at the Provincial Court house to-morrow. Mr. Justice Aulay Morrison will be the trial judge.

History will be made for the Victoria Assizes by the appearance of two women in the dock facing a capital charge. Mrs. Jean Bowers is charged with killing Frederick La Marr by stabbing him with a knife in the Gordon Rooms on November 14. Mrs. Margaret K. McRae will be charged with shooting her husband, Albert Frederick McRae, in their home at 851 Broughton Street.

Mrs. Bowers has been out on \$10,000 bail since the police court hearing. Mrs. McRae, whose calmness since the tragedy has been remarkable, has been in custody.

W. J. H. Ross will be charged with doing grievous bodily harm to James Pickard, a cyclist, the charge arising out of an automobile accident on Government Street, near Bay Street. William "Scotty" Allen will be charged with obtaining in Victoria and moving to Sidney, four windows, the property of Anna Maria Johnson, Angelo and Marian Spontis, have been committed for trial on a charge of retaining in their possession two cases of whisky off the Chris Moeller, under seizure.

The list is made up with charges against two Chinamen. Wong Gan Bun, also known as Ping, is charged with wounding a countryman, Lim Shar Fun, with intent to maim. McWong, a cook aboard one of the vessels of the whaling fleet, is charged with having opium in his possession.

### Keating

Keating, Feb. 28.—A large crowd was in attendance at the card party in the Temperance Hall on Saturday evening when the South Saanich Women's Institute members were hostesses to thirteen tables of players. First prizes were won by Mrs. W. S. Butler, Mrs. F. Goodwin, H. Sherring and Gordon Mitchell, with twenty-six flags to their credit. Second prizes were awarded to Miss Blanch Sherring, T. Mitchell, E. T. Lawrie and H. Rochon, with the score of twenty-four flags. Refreshments were served by the conveners for the evening, Mrs. A. Sutherland, Mrs. R. Randall, Misses Florence Hafer and Margaret Mitchell. Following the game a social time was enjoyed. Miss Blanch Sherring sang a solo and dancing was indulged in.

## FLOODS DRIVE FIVE THOUSAND FROM HOMES IN SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA



While a snowslide in the Sierra Nevada mountains of California was snuffing out the lives of thirteen men, record-breaking floods in the southern part of the state caused the deaths of eight other persons and property damage of several millions. More than 5,000 people were driven from their homes in the section around Los Angeles. This telephoto picture shows an inundated residential section of North Los Angeles. All the ground shown in the picture is under water and some of the residents are trying to drag their belongings to higher ground.

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Mrs. F. Goodwin and Miss Russell furnishing the music.

Three games of basketball are scheduled for Tuesday evening in the Temperance Hall, commencing at 8 o'clock. A ladies' team from the Y.W.C.A., a men's team from the Y.M.C.A. and the West Road Junior will play three teams from Keating. A dance will follow the games, when Ron Smith's two-piece orchestra will provide the latest dance hits.

The Saanich Athletic Association held their annual dance in the Agricultural Hall, Saanich, on Friday evening. There was a good attendance of dancers from the surrounding district and Victoria. Super arrangements were in charge of

the ladies of the club, and was served in the dining-room.

The Saanich Athletic Club will hold the fortnightly card party in the Agricultural Hall on Saturday evening, March 5.

A merry evening of entertainment is anticipated for Monday evening in the Temperance Hall, when the play, "Mrs. Briggs of the Poultry Yard" will be presented by the Sidney young people, under the auspices of the local Young People's Club.

### Langford

Langford, Feb. 28.—A silver tea to be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs.

George A. Cooney, Goldstream Road, Tuesday. An attractive competition and a fine art and picture gallery will be further attractions to which all are heartily invited from 3 to 5 p.m.

The summer school time will start on Tuesday when the school will commence at 9 a.m. instead of 9:30 and close at 3:30 o'clock, for the senior pupils, and 3 p.m. for the juniors.

Dr. Irene Baslow Hudson, accompanied by the school nurse, Miss H. G. Kelly, visited the school on Friday and examined the children, reporting the health of the pupils and the condition of the school satisfactory.

On Wednesday evening, progressive court whist will be played at the

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weekly card party of the Langford Women's Institute, held in their hall on Dunsford Road.

Baldwin would be able to leave England during the summer of 1927.

### INVITATION TO PRINCE

Toronto, Feb. 28.—In a reply just received by Mayor W. J. Wilson to an invitation sent the Prince of Wales to visit Gananogue, Ontario, and the Thousand Islands during his tour of Canada, and to be here if possible during the first week in August, it is said a definite answer can not now be given as plans for the Prince's visit are still undetermined. The mayor is advised in the reply to communicate with Viscount Willingdon, Governor-General, who will be asked in due course to suggest a programme to the Prince. An invitation sent to Premier Stanley Baldwin of Great Britain brought a reply which suggested there was still some doubt as to whether Mr.

### BIG STORM LOSS

Boston, Feb. 28.—Damage estimated at \$500,000 was caused to lines of the New England Telegraph and Telephone Company by the storm which swept New England Saturday, the company reported. Thousands of poles were still down to-day.



# SHIPWRECK and SAMPLE SALE

Now come on you Merry Mob of Bargain Hunters. Here's where we are going to hand out a Cargo of Real Stunning Bargains or bust in the attempt. If we are a failure, well, we'll try politics and prosper.

The Boy stood on the burning Deck.  
Crying, "What's it all about?"  
There came a darn big ocean wave  
And put the fire out.

With Crew all soaked and Cargo wet  
And nothing to drink but Tea.  
The Captain took the only course,  
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Smart Tweed Pants in neat reliable patterns. No, they are not overalls, they are Pants—suitable for evening wear; all sizes. Regular price \$2.00 ..... **\$1.79**

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**MEN'S COMBINATION COVERALLS \$1.98**  
Heavy Khaki Duck Coveralls; sizes 34 to 44. Regular price \$4.00 ..... **\$1.98**

**BLUE CHAMBRAY WORK SHIRTS 79c**  
Men's Blue Chambray Work Shirts, double stitched, big fitting with yoke. Regular price \$1.25, for ..... **79c**

**MEN'S SOCKS, 29c**  
Penman's Natural Merino Working Socks, regular price 35c ..... **29c**  
"Why," said a lady on Dollar Day, "I can get socks like those up town at 3 pairs for a dollar." "Alright, Lady," replied our clerk, "just to please you I will let you have them at the same price." "Where ignorance is bliss, 'tis folly to be wise!"

**PENMAN'S UNDERWEAR, 69c**  
Men's Natural Merino Penman's Underwear, shirts or drawers. Regular price \$1.25 ..... **69c**

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Smart Tweed Caps, large selection; all sizes. Regular price \$1.25 ..... **69c**

**MEN'S SCOUT BOOTS, \$2.98**  
Here's our famous Men's Scout Boots, solid leather and built for comfort and wear. Made with full extension soles from heel to toe; leather or Panco soles; sizes 6 to 11. Regular price \$4.00 for

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**MEN'S GOODYEAR WELTED BOOTS, \$3.29**  
Genuine Goodyear Welled Boots, snappy styles in the latest spade toe; black or tan; sizes 7 to 9 only. These are a manufacturers' lot, going at about HALF PRICE. Regular price \$6.50, for

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## SHIPWRECKED!

Damaged by water in transit. Large bale, containing 43 bolts, or roughly 2,300 yards of Gingham, Prints and Cheese Cloth.

The boat hit a rock, busted up and got wet—we mean the cargo. The captain raved, the crew cried, but we smiled—it was insured, so why should we worry. The edges of the Gingham are slightly water-marked, the Cheese Cloth is slightly rust-marked, owing to being baled with iron hoops, otherwise it is none the worse. The Gingham are of high-grade quality, Kingcot Brand, usually sold at 35c per yard. We have marked them at two prices, according to the damaged condition.

Slightly Soiled Gingham, 32 inches wide; English print; and crepes; regular price 25c. 900 yards at ..... **10c**

"Kingcot" Brand 32-inch Gingham, checks or stripes. Big variety of colors; regular price 35c. 1,000 yards at ..... **15c**

Extra Fine Quality Cheese Cloth, 32 inches wide; regular price 10c. 400 yards at ..... **4c**

Not more than ten yards to each customer. Now ladies, keep cool, be patient and no fighting.

## Mill Samples Just Arrived

Another big shipment of manufacturers' samples. Men's, ladies' and children's underwear, hosiery, nightgowns, sleepers, princess slips, vests and bloomers, silk nightgowns, gloves, socks, etc., NOW ON SALE AT MILL PRICES. They are all well-known leading makes, including Turnbull's, Health Brand, Hygien and the Monarch.



**Men's Army Boots \$2.98**



Solid leather. Just like the picture. Here's a snap. Regular price \$5.00, for ..... **\$2.98**

**BOYS' SWEATERS, 98c**  
Boys' School Sweaters, made from strong durable worsted yarns, with polo collar. Large assortment of colors; all sizes. Regular price \$1.50 ..... **98c**

**PAINTERS' OVERALLS OR COATS 89c**  
"Big Horn" Brand Painters' Overalls or Jumpers; sizes 32 to 44. Regular price \$1.25, 89c  
"Say," this is the truth. "A painter popped in the other day for a pair of overalls. He asked the clerk when the price of overalls was coming down. He was out on strike for more money!"

**BOYS' SCHOOL BOOTS, \$2.29**  
Boys' Smart School Boots—not too heavy, yet durable, bang full of solid leather. Black box calf uppers and genuine hemlock leather soles. Sizes 2 to 6. Regular price \$3.50 ..... **\$2.29**

**LOOK AT THIS**  
Children's and Misses' Stitchdown Boots, golden elk hide uppers, moccasin yamps, Panco rubber soles. Nature form fitting; sizes 5 to 7. Regular price \$2.50 ..... **\$1.49**

**1,000 Men's Soft Collars, 2c**  
Assorted colors, sizes 14 and 15 only. Regular price 25c, for ..... **2c**

**6 Only, Children's Raincoats**  
Complete with hood. Regular price, \$2.50, for ..... **79c**

**Men's Odd Tweed Vests, \$1.29**  
Tweed Vests, assorted patterns; sizes 36 and 38 only. Regular price, \$2.50, for ..... **\$1.29**

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